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BENNET PULVERMAN, Assignee, etc.
December 4, 1885.
NAPHTALY, FREIDENRICH & ACKERMAN, Attorneys for Assignee. d7-td

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n10-1ptf

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WE RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE LADIES of Sacramento and vicinity that we are prepared to show our Fall Importation of FRENCH HATS AND BONNETS. Also, full lines of all NOVELTIES pertaining to the season.
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n29-1p3m

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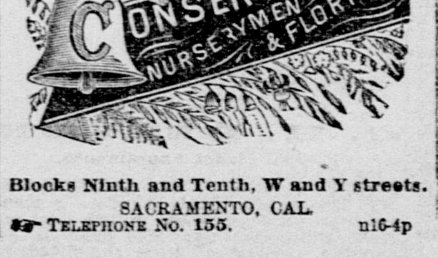


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MEALS....25 cents
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—IN—
MILLINERY DEPARTMENT!
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A Large and Varied Assortment of

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16-inch Ostrich Plumes, in all shades, 25 cents.
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You Can Save Money by Purchasing Your Holiday Presents Now!

A Fine Flowered Glass Decanter for 25 cents.
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There is no end to our Variety of FANCY ARTICLES now on hand.

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December 1, 1885. WILLIAM CARPENTER.
d2-1mlp

O'NEAL & SON,
Dealers in all kinds of
Wood and Coal,
Second Street, between L and M.
THANKING THE PUBLIC FOR PAST FAvors, we solicit a continuance. Wood and Coal at the lowest prices. Remember we give full weight and measure. o31-1plm

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TRAINS LEAVE AND ARE DUE TO ARRIVE
—AT—
SACRAMENTO.

| LEAVE (FOR) | FROM OCT. 13, 1885. | ARRIVE (FROM) |
|---|---|---|
| 7:20 A. | Calistoga and Napa.... | 7:05 P. |
| *2:50 P. | " " " .... | *11:25 A. |
| 12:05 P. | Colfax.... | 10:20 A. |
| 10:30 A. | Delta & Portland, via Davis | 3:45 P. |
| ¶*6:05 A. | Tehama, via Chico.... | ¶*11:30 P. |
| 7:05 P. | Knights Landing.... | 7:05 A. |
| *5:15 P. | { Mojave, Deming, } Expr's | *9:00 A. |
| *5:15 P. | { El Paso and East } Emgr't | *9:00 A. |
| 7:35 P. | { Ogden and East } Express | 7:00 A. |
| 7:35 P. | " " " Emign't | 7:00 A. |
| 2:30 P. | Red Bluff, via Marysville.... | 10:15 A. |
| 6:00 A. | San Francisco, via Benicia.. | 8:00 P. |
| 7:20 A. | " " " " .. | 7:05 P. |
| 2:50 P. | " " " " .. | 11:25 A. |
| 11:30 A. | " " " Livermore | 2:20 P. |
| *10:00 A. | " " " steamer... | *6:00 A. |
| 11:30 A. | San Jose.... | 2:20 P. |
| 11:30 A. | Stockton and Galt.... | 2:20 P. |
| *5:15 P. | " " " .... | *9:00 A. |
| *11:30 A. | Tulare and Fresno.... | .... |
| 7:20 A. | Vallejo.... | *11:25 A. |
| 2:50 P. | " .... | †7:05 P. |
| | S. and P. R. R. | |
| *7:30 A. | { Folsom, Latrobe and } | *1:55 P. |
| *3:00 P. | { ....Shingle Springs.... } | *10:40 A. |

A. For Morning. P. For Afternoon.
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OCEANIC STEAMSHIP CO.
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HONOLULU, AUCKLAND and SYDNEY,
WITHOUT CHANGE.
CARRYING U. S., HAWAIIAN and Colonial Mails. The splendid new 3,000-ton iron steamship, ALAMEDA, Captain H. G. MORSE, will leave the Company's wharf, corner Steuart and Harrison streets, SUNDAY, November 22d, at 2 P. M., or immediately on arrival of the English mails. For HONOLULU, ST. PAUL, December 5th, at 2 P. M. For freight or passage, apply at office, 327 Market street. JOHN D. SPRECKELS & BROS., General Agents. o18-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

ALWAYS ON HAND!
—AT THE—
Central Grocery,
No. 1118 J STREET,
THE CHOICEST IN THE WAY OF STAPLE and Fancy GROCERIES, with prices as low as the market will allow.
o27-1plm SALOMON & HAYFORD.

CANDIES
FOR THE MILLION!
We have now in stock for the HOLIDAY TRADE, at Wholesale and Retail:
FANCY BOXES,
GLASS BALLS,
CORNUCOPIAS.

Holiday Candies
Fancy and Plain, in Endless Varieties.
NUTS, Etc.

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Send for Wholesale Price List. n24-1m

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IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
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AGENTS FOR THE CELEBRATED
POMMERY AND GRENO CHAMPAGNE.
n25-1plm

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OR SKIN CANCER.

For seven years I suffered with a cancer on my face. Eight months ago a friend recommended the use of Swift's Specific, and I determined to make an effort to procure it. In this I was successful and began its use. The influence of the medicine at first was to somewhat aggravate the sore; but soon the inflammation was allayed, and I began to improve after the first few bottles. My general health has greatly improved. I am stronger and able to do any kind of work. The cancer on my face began to decrease and the ulcer to heal, until there is not a vestige of it left—only a little scar marks the place. MRS. JOICIE A. McDONALD.
Atlanta, Ga., August 11, 1885.

I have had a cancer on my face for some years, extending from one cheek bone across the nose to the other. It has given me a great deal of pain, at times burning and itching to such an extent that it was almost unbearable. I commenced using Swift's Specific in May, 1885, and have used eight bottles. It has given the greatest relief by removing the inflammation and restoring my general health. W. BARNES.
Knoxville, Iowa, September 8, 1885.
Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.
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"CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH."
The Original and Only Genuine.
Safe and always Reliable. Beware of worthless Imitations. Indispensable to LADIES. Ask your Druggist for "Chichester's English" and take no other, or inclose 4c. (stamps) to us for particulars in letter by return mail. NAME PAPER. Chichester Chemical Co., 2315 Madison Square, Philada., Pa.
Sold by Druggists everywhere. Ask for "Chichester's English" Pennyroyal Pills. Take no other.
n5-1yTuThS&wly

## WASHINGTON.

### ORGANIZATION OF THE FORTY-NINTH CONGRESS.

Sherman Elected President Pro Tem. of the Senate, and Carlisle Speaker of the House.

[SPECIAL BY TELEGRAPH TO THE RECORD-UNION.]

WASHINGTON, December 7th.—The Senate was called together at 12 o'clock noon.

After prayer, Edmunds nominated Senator Sherman for President of the Senate.

Voorhees moved to substitute the name of Harris.

The yeas and neas were then ordered upon Voorhees' motion.

The Voorhees amendment was lost by a strict party vote, whereupon Sherman was elected without further division.

Upon the request of Secretary McCook, Sherman was escorted to the chair by Edmunds and Voorhees, and the oath of office was administered to him by Edmunds. Sherman then said:

Senators: I return you my grateful thanks for the high honor you have conferred upon me. In common with all the people of the United States, I feel a profound sorrow for the sudden death of the Vice-President, who by the Constitution is also declared to be President of the Senate. A contingency has now arrived when it becomes the imperative duty of the Senate to elect a President pro tem. In accepting the position assigned me, I feel that there are many Senators on either side of the house more apt in the discharge of the duties of this position, more experienced in the rules and orders of the Senate, than myself. Still, I accept, with a sincere desire that I may be able to enforce the rules with kindness and impartiality, so as to ascertain, if possible, the sense of the majority of the Senate, and to give to the minority its full constitutional right and protection. With a sincere desire for performing this duty, I appeal to each individual Senator for his courtesy and forbearance.

Cullom presented the credentials of Logan's re-election as Senator from Illinois, and Pike presented those of Blair as Senator from New Hampshire. The credentials were read, and Logan and Blair were at once sworn in by the President pro tempore.

Committees were appointed to notify the President and the House of the organization of the Senate.

Upon motion of Edmunds, at 12:25 the Senate took a recess to await the organization of the House.

AFTERNOON SESSION—ADJOURNMENT.

At 2:40 P. M. the newly-chosen President pro tem. called the Senate to order.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives brought a message from that body announcing the election of its Speaker and Clerk, and the appointment of a committee to wait on the President, in conjunction with the committee already appointed by the Senate.

Voorhees then offered the following resolutions, prefacing them with the remark that in doing so he was performing the saddest duty of his public life:

*Resolved*, That the Senate has received with profound sorrow the intelligence of the death of Thomas A. Hendricks, late Vice-President of the United States, and for a number of years a distinguished member of this body.

*Resolved*, That the business of the Senate be suspended, in order that the eminent public services and representative virtues of deceased may be appropriately commemorated.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives.

Voorhees asked that the resolutions be permitted to lie on the table, subject to be called upon at a future day, of which the Senate should have due and timely notice.

The resolutions were accordingly laid on the table.

Harrison then moved an immediate adjournment of the Senate, "out of respect to the memory of the late Vice-President."

The motion was agreed to, and the Senate adjourned till to-morrow noon.

IN THE HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, December 7th.—The Chamber presented a pleasant scene, the bright red carpet lending an air of cheeriness and warmth to the hall, which had been thoroughly renovated since spring, while a number of desks, including that of the Speaker, were decorated with flowers. Here and there groups of members stood chatting and laughing, political animosities being set to one side for the time being, and while the members took advantage of the occasion to extend their acquaintance among the older and more experienced colleagues. Apart from the exchange of greetings, the chief topic of conversation was the proposed change of rules.

The galleries were crowded, with the exception of the Executive gallery, which was only partially filled. The majority of spectators were ladies.

At noon precisely the House was called to order by J. B. Clark, its Clerk, and the first session of the Forty-ninth Congress began. When order was secured, the Clerk's call disclosed the presence of 320 members, the only absentees being Miller of New York, Henderson of North Carolina, Aiken of South Carolina, Craig of Texas and Croxton of Virginia.

ELECTION OF SPEAKER.

Nominations for Speaker were then in order, and Tucker of Virginia presented the name of Carlisle of Kentucky.

Cannon of Illinois placed the name of Reed of Maine in nomination.

The vote was announced as follows: Carlisle 177, Reed 138, and amid loud applause the Clerk announced Carlisle elected, and appointed Messrs. Tucker and Reed as a committee to conduct the Speaker to the chair.

Carlisle spoke briefly, thanking the members for their renewed confidence.

The election of House officers resulted in the selection of those chosen by the Democratic caucus.

The usual committee was then appointed to join one from the Senate to announce to the President the organization of the two branches of Congress.

DRAWING FOR SEATS.

While waiting for the committee to report, the House proceeded, on motion of Mr. Springer, of Illinois, to save time, to draw for seats.

Mills of Texas asked unanimous consent that Mr. Kelley, of Pennsylvania, the "Father of the House," be permitted to choose his seat in advance, but Mr. Bennett, of North Carolina, objected.

Mr. Reed then suggested that Mr. Kelley leave his hat upon his desk, and assured him that his wish would be respected, and members then retired behind the circle of desks, and waited eagerly while a blindfold page drew from a box numbered marbles which corresponded to the numbers attached to their names. The first marble drawn was 237, and Stahlnecker of New York proved to be the lucky man. He selected a seat on the Democratic side, a little to the left of the Speaker and three rows from the front. Mr. Breckenridge, of Arkansas, was the next fortunate one, and took possession of his old desk. The next dozen names drawn were those of new members, and the faces of the older men lengthened as they saw their chances of securing prominent seats lessening. On the Democratic side, however, Mr. Warner, of Ohio, Mr. McAdoo, of New Jersey, Mr. Springer and Mr. Eden, of Illinois, and Mr. Bland, of Missouri, were able to secure good positions. The last name called was that of Mr. Geddes, of Ohio.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT'S DEATH.

Mr. Holman, of Indiana, then rose and said:

Mr. Speaker: The melancholy duty has devolved upon me of announcing to the House that Thomas A. Hendricks, Vice-President of the United States, at his home in the city of Indianapolis, Ind., on the 25th day of last month, departed this life. The death of this eminent citizen, after a long period of public service, holding the second office in the gift of the people, with a reputation in public and private life of unsullied goodness, has occasioned a widespread expression of grief throughout the whole republic. Undoubtedly Congress will, at an early moment, acting through both its houses, provide an occasion for a proper expression touching the life, character and public service of deceased, and out of respect to his memory I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to unanimously, and accordingly the House adjourned.

THE GOVERNOR OF WYOMING AND THE CHINESE MASSACRE.

WASHINGTON, December 7th.—Governor Warren, of Wyoming, in his annual report, refers to the Rock Springs Chinese labor riots of September 3d. The white miners who engaged in the massacre were, he says, nearly all aliens. He states the action he took in suppressing the riots, and says that public sentiment in those places where Chinese are employed in the mines is decidedly in favor of the rioters. Several arrests were made, but no indictments were found. He suggests that the Insurrection Act be amended by the insertion of the word "Territorial," so that the doubt about the power of the Government to summon troops in cases of emergency might be removed. The Governor says that Wyoming believes in and indorses woman suffrage.

ANOTHER RAILROAD TAX CASE DECIDED.

WASHINGTON, December 7th.—The Supreme Court, to-day, decided No. 690—the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, appellant from the Supreme Court of Dakota. The suit was brought in the District Court of Traill county, Dakota, by the present appellant, against Iver L. Rockne, Treasurer of the county, to enjoin him from enforcing the collection of taxes assessed on lands of the company in that county. The verdict was for defendant. The Supreme Court of the Territory affirmed the judgment. This Court now reverses the judgment, and the case is remanded, with directions to cause a decree to be entered perpetually enjoining the Treasurer of Traill county from any further proceedings to collect the taxes. This action is based upon the provision of the Act of Congress, which prohibited the conveyance of any granted lands to a company until the costs of survey have been paid to the Government. Until these costs are paid the Government retains title as security, and this security would be neutralized if the lands could be sold for taxes. The Court says: "We are aware of the use being made of this principle by companies, who, having earned the lands, neglected to pay these costs in order to prevent taxation. The remedy lies with Congress, and is of easy application. If that body will take steps to enforce its liens for these costs of survey by a sale of the lands or by a forfeiture of the title, the treasury of the United States would soon be reimbursed for its expenses in making these surveys, and the States and Territories in which these lands lay would be remitted to their appropriate rights of taxation."

THE QUESTION OF "COMMUTING" HOMESTEAD CLAIMS.

WASHINGTON, December 7th.—Much apprehension has been manifested in the West in respect to the scope of Commissioner Sparks' recent decision, to the effect that homestead claimants, who have previously had the benefit of the pre-emption law, cannot "commute" their homestead claims. Members of Congress have received many letters on the subject, indicating a widespread fear that this decision was to be made retroactive, which would have the effect of upsetting the titles to many claims which had passed, by purchase, into the hands of third parties. Senator Van Wyck, on behalf of many of his constituents, recently made inquiry of General Sparks in reference to the matter, and was informed that the decision will, unless reversed by higher authority, be a guide for the future action of the land officers, but that the Commissioner is not inclined to go into the action of his predecessor, nor interfere with claims which have already been secured under former rulings of the Land Office in this respect, unless fraud is shown to have been perpetrated in securing such claims.

APPROPRIATIONS REQUIRED.

WASHINGTON, December 7th.—The Secretary of the Treasury to-day transmitted to Congress his estimates of the appropriations required for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1887. The total amount of the estimate, as required for all the expenses of the Government, is $339,585,552, which is $15,678,153 more than the sum called for in the estimates submitted last year, and $50,826,710 more than the aggregate of the appropriations for the present fiscal year.

GOVERNOR STONEMAN'S PROTEST IN THE SAN BERNARDINO CASE.

WASHINGTON, December 7th.—In these dispatches yesterday reference was made to the fact that Governor Stoneman had filed a protest in the Supreme Court against the hearing of the San Bernardino case upon printed arguments in that tribunal. The facts are that when Representative Henley came here from San Francisco he brought with him a memorial, or communication, from Governor Stoneman, addressed to Chief Justice Waite. In this document Governor Stoneman claims, as the head of the executive department of the State, a general supervision over the administration and enforcement of the laws, and recites the history of the litigation between the State and railroad companies in respect to the assessment and collection of taxes. He severely criticised the manner in which the Attorney-General of California has managed the suits brought against the railroad companies, to recover taxes, and intimates that the Attorney-General has been in collusion with the railroad companies to the injury of the interests of the State. Governor Stoneman informs the Chief Justice that he believes the Attorney-General of California had consented to submit to the Court the printed arguments in the San Bernardino case under the ninety-day rule, notwithstanding special counsel had been engaged by the State to argue this case. The Governor asserted in his memorial that the San Bernardino case does not state accurately all the facts at issue in the controversy, of which the Court should be informed in rendering a decision applicable to other cases, notably the issues involved in the Santa Clara case, that does accurately state all the questions in dispute. The Governor's memorial expresses the hope that the San Bernardino case will not be considered by the Court until the other cases are reached in regular order, and the special counsel employed by the State have an opportunity to argue thereon. Stoneman's letter to the Chief Justice is said to reflect seriously upon the honesty of the Attorney-General of the State in his connection with the railroad cases. Chief Justice Waite submitted the Governor's letter to a private consultation of the Justices last Saturday morning, and after a short discussion they decided that they could not receive or consider any documents submitted in such a manner, and by direction of the Court it was accordingly returned to Representative Henley. The Supreme Court holds that all communications intended for its consideration must be presented by counsel through the regular channels. Judge Sanderson, of counsel for the railroad company, said to your correspondent to-night that the San Bernardino case does not differ from the Santa Clara case in any respect, save that in the former case all the taxes have been paid except the penalties, fees and interest thereon. Santa Clara county has not accepted the taxes offered. He says, in determining the validity of the claims for these penalties, fees, etc., the Court must pass upon identically the same questions as are involved in the Santa Clara case, where the taxes have not been paid.

PASSENGERS FROM THE EAST.

PROMONTORY (Utah), December 7th.—The following overland passengers passed here to-day, to arrive in Sacramento December 9th: J. Sevedo, New Bedford, Mass.; E. Agen and wife, Benton Harbor, Mich.; Mrs. H. L. Anderson, Salt Lake; J. Biabb, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. F. Budro, Boston; L. Blankman, England; N. S. Baker, Port Medway, N. S.; O. N. Bragestead, Decora, Iowa; Miss J. Brooks, Benton Harbor, Mich.; W. Bush, Shoreman, Vt.; J. Cunningham, Olympia, W. T.; Mrs. L. Conwell, Salt Lake; W. W. Dorety, R. Flagg, New York; Miss E. Fogs, New Bedford, Mass.; L. Goring, Weaverville; J. Gauter and wife, Chicago; J. O. Hougen, Ossia, Iowa; A. Hounson, Marysville; F. R. Herman, Bermingham; J. H. Jackson, Eureka Springs, Ark.; J. B. Kilgore, San Francisco; M. K. Kittleman and wife, Harper, Ks.; J. P. Kenon, San Francisco; S. Lamon, Canada; L. Leebs, Denver; O. Larsen, Minneapolis; M. Laper, Wilmington, Del.; R. Landers and family, W. J. Landers, J. Landers, Waterbury, Conn.; B. Murphy, Chicago; Gustave Meisel, Denver; W. Malloy and wife, Boston; Mrs. E. Peck, Massachusetts; A. Perry, New Bedford, Mass.; E. Paus and wife, L. Parks, Topeka, Ks.; A. H. Perry and wife, Colyorne, Canada; W. Rainey, Verde Island; Mrs. O. P. Rutherford, San Francisco; Miss H. Troohey, Boston; B. Trist and wife, Miss Martha Trist, F. Trist, Germany; H. Wahlenmaier and wife, Arkansas City, and six others.

NEWHALL, December 7th.—The following overland passengers passed here to-day, to arrive in San Francisco December 8th: Frank Aims, Tombstone; G. M. Bruce, Arizona; R. R. Bigelow, Elko, Nev.; Dr. E. Barber, Oakland; D. S. Balch and family, Minneapolis; A. Chartson, Tombstone; Mrs. J. H. Coleman, Oakland; Mrs. Rebecca Donnell, Minneapolis; F. T. Griffith, J. M. Griffith and wife, Los Angeles; T. C. Hoag, Evanston, Ill.; Wm. Hillmer, Anaheim; Mrs. S. W. Knapp and sister, San Francisco; F. C. Kimbark and wife, Oakland; Jacob Kramer, Texas; H. C. Logan, San Francisco; A. Loveland, Texas; Miss Mulane, Los Angeles; A. B. H. Magee, Kansay City; Miss Nichols, San Francisco; Mrs. T. W. Park, San Rafael; Dr. W. H. Park, China; Tom Pepper, Los Angeles; J. H. Stockwell, San Francisco; Mrs. H. G. Stephenson, Los Angeles; M. L. Salter, Jacksonville, Fla.; G. Wylie Wells, Howard H. Wood, Los Angeles; A. H. Wayne, Mexico; John F. Wells, Houston, Texas; J. A. Ward, Nevada; G. F. Whitehead, St. George, Utah

## PACIFIC SLOPE.

[LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION]

### CALIFORNIA.

**Signal Service Indications.**

SAN FRANCISCO, December 7th—8 P. M.—Indications for the succeeding 32 hours: North Pacific, generally fair weather, with southwesterly winds, fresh to brisk along the coast. Middle Pacific, fair weather, with northwesterly winds. South Pacific, fair weather, with northwesterly winds.

**The Weather.**

RIO VISTA, December 7th.—After a week of damp, foggy weather, the wind came out from the north this morning, clearing the atmosphere, and the sun shone brightly all day. A frost is probable to-night.

MARYSVILLE, December 7th.—A seven-days' continuous fog was dissipated at 10 o'clock this morning, and the people viewed the first sunshine for a week with gladness.

**Proposed as an Honorary Member.**

SAN FRANCISCO, December 7th.—At a meeting of the Pioneers, to-night, the name of Leland Stanford was proposed as an honorary member of the society.

**Boat Wrecked and Three Men Drowned.**

SAN FRANCISCO, December 7th.—A boat containing three fishermen, who yesterday "went sailing out in the west," struck on a rock near Lime Point early this morning. The waves were breaking high at that time and all the occupants of the boat were soon washed overboard. One Pietro Naoaggori, an Austrian, tied a big empty demijohn to him to aid in floating and struck out boldly for the shore. He was a strong swimmer, but the waves overcame his skill and his body was found a few hours later on the beach near Fort Point. The Coroner was notified and removed it to the Morgue. The other bodies have not yet been found.

**The California and Oregon Land Grant.**

SAN FRANCISCO, December 7th.—A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of this city will be held at 2 P. M. to-morrow, to consider the question of the land grant to the California and Oregon Railroad. It is expected that the meeting will be largely attended.

**The Fire Commissioner Muddle in San Francisco.**

SAN FRANCISCO, December 7th.—At the annual meeting of the Fire Commissioners to-night there was quite a lively time. Commissioner Edwards was re-elected President by a vote of 3 to 2. Commissioners Siebe and Kelly, the newly-elected members, demanded seats, but a motion to adjourn was carried before action was taken. Kelly asserted that there would be two Boards organized, and legal complications are probable.

**Fire—Collision of Vehicles—Horse Stolen.**

REDWOOD CITY, December 7th.—About 10:30 last night the slaughter-house, stable and granary of W. Z. Price, at San Mateo, was completely destroyed by fire. Damage, $2,500; insurance, $1,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Two buggies collided near Mayfield last night, and J. H. Offerman, the occupant of one buggy, was seriously injured. One buggy was completely wrecked.

John Stafford, a stable-keeper of Redwood, visited Menlo Park last night, and at McPaine's Hotel fastened his horse to the fence, a short distance away, while he entered the house. When he was ready to return home his horse and buggy could not be found. Suspicion fell upon a man named Joe Tompkins, who left the bar-room of the hotel a short time after Stafford's arrival. Chase was made, and the horse and buggy recovered, but the thief escaped. Officers are now searching for him.

**Railroad Accident Above Marysville.**

MARYSVILLE, December 7th.—This morning, at 8 o'clock, express train No. 12, from Redding to Sacramento, ran into and demolished a section hand-car at a point six miles north of Marysville. The cow-catcher of the engine was badly broken. The section men saved themselves by jumping from the car. A heavy fog prevented the parties on the engine and hand-car from seeing one another until too late to avoid the accident.

**Municipal Election—Cutting Scrape—Revival Meetings—Man Badly Burned.**

LOS ANGELES, December 7th.—In the municipal election to-day the Republicans elect five of the eight candidates for the Council and Board of Education.

A cutting scrape occurred to-night at the Fourth Ward polls. Carlos Cruz drew a knife and ran amuck on the crowd around the ballot-box, and cut and wounded several severely. He was knocked down and badly bruised, and finally arrested.

United revival meetings of all the Protestant churches is in progress, under the leadership of Dr. L. W. Munhall. The average attendance is 5,000 each evening.

A man named James Black, found Sunday morning near Newhall in the road badly burned, is not expected to live. The cause of the accident is unknown.

**Forgeries Unearthed.**

SAN JOSE, December 7th.—Forgeries amounting to about $1,000, which appear to have been committed by Louis Waldman, the absconding contractor, came to light here to-day. The notes, in the course of their negotiation, came into the hands of W. A. Parkhurst, J. M. Battie, Jacob Heft, and another person whose name cannot be learned. The names forged are Adam Sweigert and Dr. C. W. Breyfogle.

**Ten Years in the State Prison.**

SAN JOSE, December 7th.—Judge Belden to-day sentenced Pedro Pacheco, convicted of a felonious assault on Celedonia Flores, to ten years in the State Prison. Pending an appeal to the Supreme Court, he was released on $10,000 bail.

**He Was a Confederate Brigadier.**

FRESNO, December 7th.—Tyre H. Bell, reported appointed Receiver of the Visalia Land Office, is a resident of this place. He is a native of Tennessee, and was a Brigadier-General in the Confederate army.

### UTAH.

**Snow-storm—Arrival of Military.**

SALT LAKE, December 7th.—A furious snow-storm prevailed to-day. In the midst of it, Battery D, Fifth Artillery, arrived at 11 A. M., and were welcomed by five companies of infantry from Fort Douglas. At 2:30 they were escorted to camp. General McCook and staff riding at the head of the column. As they passed Temple block the band struck up a national air, and continued playing until they passed Eagle gate. No demonstrations were made. All is quiet here.

### OREGON.

**Suit for Damages.**

PORTLAND, December 7th.—George W. Philbrick to-day brought a $10,000 suit against P. C. Smith for damages received from the latter, who shot him in the head some time since.

### WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

**Meeting of the Legislature.**

OLYMPIA, December 7th.—Both houses of the Legislature met to-day and organized. The lower house elected as Speaker R. O. Dunbar, of Klickitat county; and as Chief Clerk, F. G. Nicklin. The Council elected as Chairman Dr. B. B. Day, of Garfield county, and Eugene Wilson as Chief Clerk.

INCREASED PRICE FOR RAW SILK.—A communication received from Mrs. Rienzi, member of the State Board of Sericulture, states that a special bulletin has been issued by the *Journal of Sericulture*, Milan, Italy, in which it is announced that the silk product will run short for about three months. In consequence, European raw silk has increased in price two dollars per pound. Cocoons are sold in Milan and Turin, Italy, at $1 20 per pound. The scarcity of silk in European markets has obliged buyers to buy Asiatic silk at Yokohama. The price of silk has increased ten per cent. At Canton the price of silk increased to fifteen per cent. It is probable that the price will continue to increase, as there will not be a supply to meet the demand until the new crop comes in, in July next.

The *Official Gazette* of Madrid publishes a note from the Queen Regent, in which she offers her thanks to the army for its profession of regret at the death of the King, and for its loyalty to the throne.

THE people know the merits of St. Jacobs Oil, and use no other. Fifty cents a bottle.

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## NEWS OF THE MORNING.

In New York yesterday Government bonds were quoted at 123⅝ for 4s of 1907; 112⅝ for 4½s; sterling, $4 84@4 86¼; 103¼ for 3s; silver bars, 103.

Silver in London, 47⅛d; consols, 99 5-16d; 5 per cent. United States bonds, extended, 105; 4s, 127; 4½s, 115⅝.

The mining share market opened with more vim and strength in San Francisco yesterday morning than for many weeks past. The business transacted at the 9:30 session was not only large, but it had a solid look. All the middle Comstocks sold at a sharp advance. After the Board prices weakened slightly along the line.

Four men were killed in an accident at Merritt's Corners, N. Y., yesterday.

The Rangoon Chamber of Commerce repeats its request that the Government annex Burmah.

The population of Berlin amounts to 1,316,382.

Fire at San Mateo; loss, $2,500.

It is reported in Belgrade that the Bulgarians have resumed hostilities.

A boat was wrecked at Lime Point, San Francisco Bay, yesterday, and three men were drowned.

The San Francisco Chamber of Commerce will to-day consider the question of the land grant to the California and Oregon Railroad.

Fire in Chicago; loss, $300,000.

It is reported that Pendleton, Minister to Germany, contemplates resigning.

A Garfield Hospital bazar opens in Washington on the 15th.

A furious snow-storm prevailed in Salt Lake yesterday.

A railroad accident occurred near Marysville yesterday, but was unattended with serious results.

For a felonious assault upon a girl, Pedro Pacheco was sentenced in San Jose, yesterday, to ten years in the State Prison.

Compared with last year, the foreign trade at New York has fallen off $97,000,000.

The religious revival in New York continues without any decrease in interest.

Bell, appointed Receiver of the Visalia Land Office, was a Brigadier-General in the Confederate army.

Battery D, of the Fifth Artillery, U. S. A., arrived in Salt Lake yesterday, and found everything quiet.

A municipal election was held in Los Angeles yesterday, resulting in a victory for the Republicans.

A general revival of religion is in progress at Los Angeles.

Susan Morse, daughter of the inventor of the telegraph, committed suicide near Havana, Cuba, by throwing herself into the sea.

The Legislature of Washington Territory met and organized at Olympia yesterday.

The Forty-ninth Congress of the United States assembled in Washington yesterday, the Senate organizing by the election of John Sherman as President pro tempore, and the House by choosing Carlisle as Speaker. Both Houses then adjourned out of respect to the memory of the late Vice-President Hendricks. The President's message will be delivered to-day.

## SHATTERED MAXIMS.

Is there to be no end to the destruction of the old belief in maxims—proverbs that have for so long been the prods to quicken youth to action, and make life a burden to half the boys and girls of the world? "Early to bed and early to rise" has been so modified that no one thinks of quoting it nowadays as a 4 o'clock law in the morning, or a 7 o'clock mandate in the evening. Physical science has taught us that night air is to be breathed at night, and that raw morning air is ill at the best. Moral science has paralyzed the good old adage that "honesty is the best policy," and demonstrated the viciousness of such unwholesome teaching. And so on, through a long list of maxims that have the moss of ages upon their backs to command respect. Now must go the familiar example of "the little busy bee." Entomologists have shaken all the poetry and good advice out of it. We are told by these learned gentlemen that it is not a little busy bee at all. That, in fact, the bee is a loafer, and a fraud, and a sot. Instead of being industrious, he works but three hours a day and loafs all the other "shining hours." He does worse; he gets beastly drunk, and on cider at that. So disreputable is he in habit in this respect, that he quits work at any time to linger at a cider-mill. In fact, he is a nuisance at the "press," and bee fanciers at the East now request the cider makers to fence in their cider mills with wire screens in order to keep the bummer from the presses. Unless this is done, they say, the busy bees will knock off work, get drunk, lie stupidly in the fence corners and snore, or else go wild with intoxication, and raise such a rumpus in the hives that the peace of the whole bee community is fatally disturbed. Next the world may expect the downfall of that sacred proverb, "Go to the ant, thou sluggard."

## BOYCOTTING.

*Resolved*, That while this Convention is in favor of boycotting in special instances, yet it recognizes that a general boycott against all Chinese-made goods offered for sale cheaper than white goods cannot be made practically effective, because of necessity compelling the consumers to buy in the cheapest market.

*Resolved*, That boycotting will not settle the Chinese question.

The foregoing resolutions were adopted at the San Francisco Labor Convention. For sublimity of nonsense it bears the palm. It declares against the Chinese, and yet against the proposition of non-patronage. Pray, if the Chinese are expelled, what will the consumer do then regarding his supplies? Does he not expect to consume the products of Caucasian labor and to pay a higher rate for them? The fact is that this is precisely what is and should be desired. The encouragement of a better class of labor will compensate for the increased cost, as also will the activity in the labor and producing markets. Boycotting will settle the Chinese question. The Chinese remain here only so long as it is profitable to do so. No better proof of their non-assimilative quality is needed. The Labor Convention has shown itself thus far to be wholly incompetent to deal with the question it has in hand.

MR. JUSTICE ROSS is considering seriously whether he should not after all serve out his time upon the Supreme bench. He urges that his private affairs are very pressing. That is silly. He accepted the office with full knowledge of the income from it, and the length of the term, and his private affairs have no claim to consideration in the question, except they involve physical and mental inability to perform his duty. Justice Ross should not consider long. It ought to be clear to him that it is his duty to keep his contract, and serve the term for which elected.

THE fellow O'Donnell, who is gaining notoriety and infamy in San Francisco, is punishment enough for that city for a long time to come. He has ordered the Governor of the State to resign, and of course that official will obey. Some one should have the man O'Donnell examined by the Lunacy Commission. It is charity to class him as insane.

THE Fresno *Democrat* speaks of Mr. Randall as having been led into the Democratic camp by some errors of the sign-boards. This will be scarcely pleasant reading to those Democrats who have recognized Mr. Randall as the one Congressional leader of the Democracy above all others.

MR. TILDEN's letter to Mr. Randall—or at least the publicity given to it—is not complimentary to the President. It may, indeed, be taken as a direct interference. However, there is a good sense in the recommendation it urges, that our coast defenses be at once and thoroughly strengthened.

TROOPS are being massed at Salt Lake. Without wishing the death of any one, the hope may still be entertained that the conflict that must come some time may come now. In that event polygamous Mormonism will be flattened out past hope of revival.

THE *Alta* says the Republican party had a chance to make a mistake, and did it by choosing Senator Sherman to be acting Vice-President. That, in short, it will lose the Presidential election to the party in 1888. So! Wait and see.

## CONTEMPORARY EXPRESSION.

THE co-operation of capital and labor is the true basis of lasting prosperity alike in communities and countries.—[Stockton Mail.

IT is quite evident to our mind that to achieve a victory, those Democrats who voted for Blaine must be brought to support, and support heartily, on the ticket. There are plenty of gentlemen in the State on whom all these elements could center.—[Colusa Sun on Democratic harmony.

THE RECORD-UNION's arraignment of the Teachers' Institute system is serious, but in the general it reflects the views of many.—[Santa Rosa Democrat.

## A SAD DEATH.

### Details of the Suicide of Halsey F. Cooper—The Inquest.

Halsey F. Cooper, until recently Deputy Surveyor of the Port, committed suicide at his residence, 1902 Vallejo street, about noon yesterday, by taking a large dose of carbolic acid. The act was to his family entirely unexpected and unaccountable. Deceased apparently was of a happy, cheerful disposition, and when his wife and daughter left home for church, yesterday morning, he seemed in his usual frame of mind. When they returned, about 2:30 P. M., they found him lying on the sofa, apparently asleep. Upon nearer approach they saw he was dead.

Upon a table beside the sofa was the following, written with a lead pencil in a plain hand:

SUNDAY, 12 o'clock M.

*To my Dear Wife and Darling Daughter:* Just how true, loving and faithful you both have ever been to me the world will never know. The remembrance of your loving fidelities will constitute my last conscious thought. To you and the world I have endeavored to appear happy and cheerful, but I am weighed down with a grief and agony untold, and must seek what rest there may be in mother earth. Softening of the brain, old age creeping on, and pauperism, is more than I can endure. Your lives, so useful and noble, should not be burdened by one who devotedly loves you, but who has failed to provide. And now good-bye.

H. F. C.

Deceased was a native of New York, 58 years old. His wife, Mrs. Sarah B. Cooper, is well known from her connection with local religious and philanthropic work.

This forenoon an inquest was held by Coroner O'Donnell at the family residence, which was filled with the friends of Mrs. Cooper and the family. The shock to Mrs. Cooper was so terrible, however, that only the most intimate friends could be admitted to see her. The circumstances of the suicide, as they became known, justified the minds of all in the belief that the verdict of impulsive insanity, which was rendered by the jury, was in accordance with the truth. The sudden death of Mr. Cooper seemed to be rendered still more sad when it became known that his greatest financial difficulty was about to be removed at Christmas through the generous action of friends. At that time the mortgage of $3,800 on his house was to have been paid, and his property was to be given to him unincumbered. This movement to pay the mortgage was originated by Charles Lux, who subscribed $800, followed by Charles Crocker with $300. The names of the other subscribers are at present unknown, but there are some fifteen on the list. The anxiety arising from the mortgage on his home, and the failure to secure a position in the Custom-house, which he felt sure of obtaining until he was assured to the contrary on Saturday morning, led to the frame of mind which caused Mr. Cooper to take his life.—[S. F. Bulletin, December 7th.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

### Department One—Van Fleet, Judge.

MONDAY, December 7, 1885.

Estate of S. B. Cooley, deceased—Letters issued to E. H. Green and Julia Smith. Bond, $10,000. H. B. Nielsen, W. Boyen and George F. Bronner appraisers. Notice to creditors in RECORD-UNION.

Estate of Wm. McKibbon, deceased—Estate ordered set apart to widow.

Estate of Mary J. Brody, deceased—Decree entered settling estate.

Estate of Thomas B. Winston, deceased—Final account settled and distribution ordered.

Estate of C. C. Fugett, deceased—Sale of personal property ordered.

Estate of J. E. Russell, deceased—Letters granted to F. H. Russel. Bond, $1,000. G. H. Swingle, Jacob Snyder and George Stinger appraisers. Notice in RECORD-UNION.

Estate of W. C. Hoppin, deceased—Ordered that George P. Royster examine the second annual account and report thereon.

Estate of Wilhelmina Deterding, deceased—Order entered showing that notice has been given.

Estate of John Nelmes, deceased—Continued one week.

Estate of H. A. Parker, deceased—Order for sale of personal property granted.

Estate of C. J. Bergel, deceased—Continued one week.

Estate of Isaac Bryan, deceased—Allowance to family of $150 per month granted, and order setting aside personal property.

Estate of J. D. Grant, deceased—Citation to George F. Bronner, guardian, to show cause why he has not appraised said estate, and for his removal. submitted.

Guardianship of John Walsh, a minor—Transferred to Department Two, owing to the disqualifications of the Judge of this Department.

Guardianship of Elizabeth Bryte—Continued one week.

Estate of P. Sullivan, deceased—Letters granted to Annie McNamee. Bond, $60,000. Hugh Casey, James I. Felter and W. J. O'Brien, appraisers. Notice in RECORD-UNION.

Estate of John Harris, deceased. Order of distribution made.

Matter of C. Van Heusen, insolvent—Insolvent discharged.

Matter of J. D. Smith, insolvent—Perishable property ordered sold at public auction; also, one horse.

Woods vs. Cutter—Submitted, with five days to plaintiff, five days to defendant, and five days to plaintiff to reply.

Matter of C. W. Hart, insolvent—Insolvent ordered discharged.

Caulfield vs. Etna Insurance Company—Judgment in favor of plaintiff for the sum insured, together with costs.

Matter of C. H. Shear, insolvent—Court orders contestant to draw findings and order; and orders that the north 120 feet of lot 5, and north 120 feet of east quarter of lot 6, between F and G, Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, be set aside to insolvent, C. H. Shear, as his homestead.

Ordered that the setting of the trial calendar be continued one week.

Warnock vs. Hull—Judgment for plaintiff for the sum of $70. Judgment for defendant for costs.

People vs. Mary Lambert, assault to murder—Defendant pleads not guilty. Case set for December 22d.

People vs. John Sullivan—Continued one week, on motion of defendant.

People vs. A. D. January—Ordered that both the bills proposed by the defendant on August 18th and November 12th be refused settlement or allowance, and be stricken from the files of this Court. Motion of defendant to withdraw bills of exception granted.

### Department Two—McFarland, Judge.

MONDAY, December 7, 1885.

Occidental Building and Loan Association vs. Charles H. Shear et al.—Demurrer overruled. Ten days to answer.

Stoner & Elworthy vs. F. F. Cavitt—Demurrer sustained. Ten days to amend.

M. A. Miller vs. N. D. Thayer et al.—Decree in favor of plaintiff filed.

M. Enos vs. Sun Fire Insurance Company—Remittitur received and ordered placed on file.

Woodburn et al. vs. Wilson et al.—Demurrer overruled. Fifteen days to answer.

Hugh Casey vs. Mike Cronin—Continued one week.

Howell Clark vs. A. S. Olsen—Continued one week.

Jones vs. McComber et al.—Continued one week.

George S. Putney vs. H. S. Putney—Motion for leave to file amended complaint continued until 9 A. M. to-morrow for argument.

Daniel Meyer vs. J. N. Porter—Demurrer taken under advisement.

Friend & Terry Lumber Company vs. P. A. Miller—Cost bill retaxed by striking therefrom $18 30.

Mike Bryte vs. Homer D. Burton—Demurrer sustained. Fifteen days to answer.

David Lower vs. Charles Swanson—Motion for default and judgment denied. Continued until next Monday.

M. Oschner vs. Joseph Oschner—Demurrer overruled. Ten days to answer.

Guardianship of Joseph Walsh, a minor—January 18th, at 3 P. M., set for hearing.

Viemeister vs. Wittenbrook—Continued.

Miss B. Smith vs. S. K. Trefry—Cost bill retaxed, by striking therefrom the sum of $12 40.

S. W. Butler vs. A. J. Barnes—Passed.

# HOME AND ABROAD.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION.]

## FOREIGN NEWS.

### Successes of Haggin's Stable the Past Season.

NEW YORK, December 7th.—The *World* says: Few owners in this country, or any other country, have made their debut on the turf with the winning eclat of B. A. Haggin. Mr. Haggin, although a resident of this city, was represented by a stable of horses bred in Kentucky, Tennessee and California, but which had wintered on the Pacific coast and which arrived East about the middle of April, with a reputation that at least one of the string was prepared to do battle for the Withers and Belmont stakes against all comers. The stable had for its trainer W. Claypool, whose quiet and reserved way of talking was not altogether liked by the critics, who apparently have a monopoly of the secrets of Jerome Park trainers. Claypool did but little with his horses except giving them long walks with an occasional slow gallop, and many doubted if he really meant to start Tyrant for the Withers. Just before the meeting began Claypool gave his horses a few rattling gallops. The result was that Tyrant was sent to the post on the opening day of the Jockey Club's spring meeting in superb condition, being well ridden by the California jockey, Duffy, who won with the greatest ease. Soon after Claypool started home for California, he picked up at Chicago the largest lot of yearlings ever bought by one owner, many of which no doubt will be seen next year both at the Eastern and Western meetings.

### A Discreditable Quibble.

PHILADELPHIA, December 7th.—The *Times* in its leader says: General Beauregard, who, with General Early, barters his name and a few hours' work each month to a certain lottery company for a very large salary, rises to explain an editorial in the *Times* of November 26th, reminding Generals Beauregard and Early that the grand prize of $150,000 of the drawing of December 18, 1883, although published as drawn by ticket No. 7,507, part of which ticket was sold in San Francisco, was not drawn at all, and was never paid. Beauregard admits that his name is used, with that of General Early, to certify to the drawings, but he disclaimed responsibility for the foot note added by his employers, giving the location of the supposed drawer. The excuse of the foot note is a discreditable quibble. If Beauregard and Early were determined to maintain their self-respect, they would have ended the foot note fraud long ago. No information of the fraud would have reached the public at all, but for the fact that a suit in San Francisco compelled the manager of the swindle to testify to the truth in Court.

### Disgraceful Scene at an Execution.

LOUISVILLE (Ky.), December 7th.—Joe Early, the murder of Leander Lawson, was hanged this afternoon at Williamsburg, Ky., in the presence of 1,000 people. He was resigned to his fate, and said he believed the Lord would forgive him. He ascended to the scaffold without a tremor. Some of the crowd were very drunk, and laughed and joked, and a great many of them tried to climb upon the scaffold. The guards pushed them back, and then threats to tear the scaffold down were made. In the row two shots were fired. The second struck Alice Sharp (colored) in the head, making a bad scalp wound. The woman screamed, and for a time there was great excitement. When order was restored, Early was asked if he had anything to say, and he replied: "No, I am ready when you are." The trap fell, and Early was dead in 20 minutes from strangulation. The crime for which he was hanged was committed some months ago. He went into a school in which Lawson was teaching, was put out, and returned and shot Lawson dead.

### Saturday's Wind-Storm.

NEW YORK, December 7th.—The wind-storm of Saturday night was severe in Camp Grant. It was one of the heaviest gales that has been experienced by the guard since it was stationed at Riverside. Strong gusts penetrated the only tent which is now standing in the camp and soon reduced the flies to ribbons. The barracks and officers' quarters stood the assault better, but the repeated attacks began to have some effect. The buildings are frame, made in sections and bolted together. By midnight Lieutenants Robinson and Ridgeway discovered they were in danger of being carried off the bluff into the river, when the whole command turned out and ropes were passed over the officers' quarters and then fastened to posts driven into the earth. It was found that the roof of the barracks had also been sprung by the winds and it was with difficulty made secure.

### Beecher's Doctrinal View of the Chinese.

NEW YORK, December 7th.—Beecher said in Plymouth Church yesterday: "There are two ways of treating the Chinese question. One is to damn them; the other is to save them. You can judge which is the Christian way. One would think we were a boastful nation and monopolized the Christianity and civilization of the world, to hear us on the Fourth of July and other days; but when we have imported the heathen and have them at our doors, they don't smell good. Our zeal, that would send missionaries to heathen lands, is suddenly influenced by our esthetic senses. If Christ had treated the world at we treat the Chinese, he would have gone to Jupiter or Saturn, because we were ragged and dirty. The wisdom and true Christianity of educating and reforming men have always been vindicated. I am glad there are not a few Chinese classes in this city and some of the work is done in this church."

### Fire in Chicago.

CHICAGO, December 7th.—The Seipp block, on Franklin street, was burned last night. With contents and the building the total loss is $300,000; insurance, $200,000. Another large fire broke out about mid night in Cribben & Sexton's stove foundry. The loss will be heavy.

### Shortage in the Supply of Natural Gas.

PITTSBURG, December 7th.—Quite a commotion was created among consumers of natural gas throughout Beaver Falls and New Brighton to-day by the sudden cessation of the supply of fuel. There was a lively scampering about to secure coal, and the dusky diamonds were in great demand again. Many consumers were able to build a coal fire in time to keep up a proper temperature in the house, and in consequence indulged in angry complaints. Hundreds of families had to resort to laundry stoves for cooking purposes, or eat cold meals. Several potteries suspended work, the clerks in business houses wore overcoats, and the scholars of the public schools, where natural gas was used, were dismissed. The shortage of the supply is attributed to the sudden cold weather, which greatly increased the demand.

### Parnell's Proposed Visit to America.

LINCOLN (Neb.), December 7th.—Patrick Egan, President of the Irish National League of America, was interviewed to-day regarding the report that Parnell will not attend the Chicago Convention, and the statement that bitter dissensions exist in some of the Irish Societies which will probably lead to unpleasantness in the Convention, said: "The statement that Parnell will not attend is mere conjecture. He has promised to come, I know he is anxious to come, and I believe he will come."

### Movement of the Colored People.

BOSTON, December 7th.—The Colored League of Massachusetts held a public meeting in Farewell Hall to-night, John L. Ruffine presiding. Resolutions were adopted, calling upon the colored voters of the country to act for themselves in future, independent of political parties, and vote for no man who is not pledged to assist the colored people to attain their rights as citizens.

### Falling Off in the Foreign Trade.

NEW YORK, December 7th.—The annual report of the Chamber of Commerce shows a falling off in the foreign trade of this port during the year, compared with last year, of over $97,000,000. The falling off at all ports of the United States within the same period is but $107,580,000.

### Pugilists Punished.

ROCHESTER, December 7th.—Patrick Slattery and Wm. Baker, principals in a prize fight last August, were sentenced to-day to be imprisoned in the Penitentiary for one year, and to pay a fine of $500 each. This is the full extent of the law.

### The Virginia Senatorship.

RICHMOND, December 7th.—In the Democratic caucus, to-night, John W. Daniel was nominated for U. S. Senator by a vote of 65 to 31 for John S. Barbour.

### The Dead Returns to Life.

DOVER (N. H.), December 7th.—Twenty-three years ago Jack O'Brien, who was serving in the United States navy, and who had several hundred dollars on his person, mysteriously disappeared. A woman who lived over a saloon in this city circulated a story that the man had been murdered in the saloon, and his body carried away by four men, whose names she gave. Jack O'Brien was believed to have been the victim of murder, and during all these years there has not been the slightest news of him, though sought far and wide, and certain parties lay under a cloud of suspicion of murdering him. This afternoon the long lost Jack came into a grocery store, and said he went to one of the Atlantic ports, going into the merchant service, staying there ever since, and never hearing from Dover. He is now about 50 years of age.

### Trichinosis in New York.

NEW YORK, December 7th.—On November 25th Ferdinand Weitzel, an aged shoemaker of this city, and his wife, gave a party in honor of the birthday of their married daughter, Matilda Lawson. There were present, besides these, their other children, Oscar, aged 20, William 13, Anna 23, Bertha 21, and Amelia 17 years. Among other guests Mrs. Margaret Pierce, her husband, William John Lawson, husband of Matilda, and his friend, Moses Simon. Among the edibles was an underdone ham, all of which was consumed, some eating heartily, some sparingly, and others not at all. Since then those who partook of the half-cooked pork have been taken very ill, with all the symptoms of trichinosis. Those who ate little were attacked less severely, and those who abstained have escaped. The first symptoms developed on the Friday following, in the case of Mrs. Weitzel, who suffered, and continues to suffer, excruciating pains, and is unable to move hand or foot. The next day her husband came down in the same way. Monday her son William was attacked. On the following Wednesday Bertha began to suffer, and on Friday Oscar took his turn, leaving Amelia and Emma the only well members of the family. To-day all had so far recovered as to be able to go about except Mrs. Weitzel and Bertha, who are still very weak. Outside of the family, Mrs. Pierce is unable to move, and John Lawson and his wife were both attacked. The latter is better, but the former is suffering intensely. Moses Simons' sufferings began last Saturday. The Health Department took the case in hand to-day. Unfortunately no scrap of the ham can be found for analysis. The physicians called all pronounced it malarial fever, but the general belief now is that it is genuine trichina.

## FOREIGN NEWS.

### The War in the Balkans.

CONSTANTINOPLE, December 7th.—The Porte has telegraphed Prince Alexander to prolong the suspension of hostilities, and declaring that he has no right to negotiate for peace.

BELGRADE, December 7th.—Rumors are current here that the Bulgarians have resumed fighting.

THE ARMISTICE PROLONGED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, December 7th.—A dispatch to the Porte from Prince Alexander announces that the armistice has been prolonged until January 13th.

### The English Elections.

LONDON, December 7th.—The returns up to 3 o'clock this afternoon show that 319 Liberals, 245 Conservatives and 73 Nationalists have been elected.

### Proposed Scheme for Irish Home Rule.

LONDON, December 7th.—Lord Randolph Churchill has drafted a scheme for Irish home rule, the basis of which, as reported, is the formation of four Provincial Councils through the medium of an English Parliament.

### The Evacuation of Tonquin.

PARIS, December 7th.—The Council General of the Department of the Seine has decided, by a vote of 34 to 8, to favor the evacuation of Tonquin. Many members of the Council abstained from voting.

### Italy Reaching Out.

LONDON, December 7th.—Italy has annexed Massowah, with the approval of Lord Salisbury. This action is due to Russian intriguing in Abyssinia, to acquire territory southward of Massowah.

### A Sister's Wrongs Avenged.

COLBOURG, December 7th.—Nine years ago John Knox, a resident of this place, deserted his wife and departed for the United States. Shortly after his wife died of a broken heart, as alleged, and her three brothers, named Goheen, vowed to kill Knox, should he ever return. Yesterday Knox arrived in town, and visited the house of the Goheens' hired man. While there the brothers learned of his presence, called at the house and invited Knox outside. Knox left the house, whereupon the brothers attacked him, beating him into insensibility and robbing him, as Knox alleges, of $40,000 which he had made in speculation.

### Death.

BERLIN, December 7th.—Herr Strassman, President of the Municipal Council of this city, is dead.

### Affairs in Spain.

MADRID, December 7th.—Senor Castellar, in an interview to-day, admitted that he was not in accord with Zorilla, and declared himself to be opposed to revolution. He saw that the Republicans could await the growth of opinion in the country against the Regency. The Queen was a working woman, but she was a foreigner. There was an abyss between her and the public. In spirit he was a Conservative Republican, respecting property, moral order and religion. The people could rely upon the army, headed by General Dominguez.

### Suicide at Sea.

HAVANA, December 7th.—Miss Susan Morse, daughter of Samuel F. B. Morse, the inventor of the telegraph, while en route for this place on the Spanish mail steamer, disappeared shortly before the arrival of the steamer. It is supposed that she threw herself into the sea in a temporary fit of mental aberration.

### The Usual Result of a "Fast" Life.

TORONTO, December 7th.—Commercial circles have been considerably agitated over the dissolution of partnership of Armcaster & Bro., wholesale dry goods dealers. Ugly rumors are afloat about A. R. Carmichael, the cashier and confidential clerk of the firm. Carmichael left the city on Friday night, and is now in the United States. Various estimates of his defalcations have been made, ranging between $30,000 and $40,000. Carmichael, it is said, has been leading a very fast life of late.

### The Gale at Colon.

PANAMA (via Galveston), December 7th.—The gale at Colon continues. Last night the sea washed over the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's wharf. Heavy seas are breaking over pier 4. No reliable information as to the number of persons drowned is at present obtainable.

## SAN FRANCISCO ITEMS.

Special Agent Evans, of the Treasury Department, has been summarily dismissed by telegram from Washington.

Senator John F. Miller has not yet departed for Washington, the statements of several city newspapers to the contrary notwithstanding. The Senator is at the Palace Hotel, and the date of his departure has not been fixed. Senator Jones expects to leave soon, and Senator Fair will start after the holidays.

The "Anti-Coolie League" held its usual meeting on the sand-lot Sunday, and the ward Presidents appointed a committee of 100 picked men to demand the resignations of the various city officials. One President went so far as to say that if the demand of the "committay" should be refused it would be its duty to have the blood of the official thus offending.

Collector Hager said to a reporter this morning that so far as he was concerned the whole story of his connection with the Austrian mission was a romance. "At first," said the Collector, "I thought that the tale was concocted here, but afterward I became convinced that it came over the wires. I never presented an application for the place, never was a candidate, and if my name has been mentioned in the matter it was without my knowledge or consent. I know nothing about it except what I read in the newspapers."

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE for wakefulness. Dr. Wm. P. Clothier, Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I prescribed it for a Catholic priest, who was a hard student, for wakefulness, extreme nervousness, etc. He reports great benefit."

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## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

King Theebaw denies the charges of cruelty made against him.

Congressman Holman believes in the division of Indian Territory.

The Garfield Hospital bazaar opens at Washington on the 15th of December.

The census of Berlin, completed December 1st, shown the population to be 1,316,382.

Lieutenant W. A. Glassford has been ordered to San Francisco for Signal Service duty.

A snow-storm with a western wind blowing sixty miles an hour, has visited New York city.

Bismarck has cited the Chinese Exclusion Act to justify the expulsion of the Poles from Prussia.

Senator Dolph will try to secure a large appropriation for improving the mouth of the Columbia river.

On the assembling of Parliament the Parnellites will demand an inquiry into the Londonderry riots.

The Marchese Rita di Candia has been sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment for swindling in Berlin.

An effort is being made to get a place on the Committee on Commerce for Congressman Herman, of Oregon.

In an accident at Merritt's Corners, N. Y., on the new Croton aqueduct, yesterday, four men were killed and a fifth probably fatally injured.

Fourteen Judges of the Court of Queen's Bench equally divided on a question of larceny last Saturday. Something unusual in English history.

Spanish Republican papers violently denounce the Pope for favoring a project to marry the young Queen Mercedes to the son of Don Carlos.

The Washington *Sunday Capital* says that rumor has it that Mr. Tilden's letter on coast defenses was prompted by Democratic job politicians.

In a brisk encounter between 218 British soldiers and 1,000 Burmese, on Wednesday, at Nyadon, three British were killed and 60 Burmese killed and 150 wounded.

Sir Richard Francis Sutton, of Genesta fame, will soon marry a daughter of the brother of Sir Vincent Rowland Corbett, who lives at Acton, Reynold Hall, Shropshire, England.

Irish landlords are reported to be in deep distress, owing to the non-receipt of rent dues. It is estimated that the agricultural districts have not paid in $5,000 since the 1st of November.

The publication of "General Grant's Memoirs," on Tuesday in London excited great interest. The leading papers reviewed it at great length, with much cordial eulogy of the book and its author.

The Rangoon Chamber of Commerce has repeated its request to the Government to annex Burmah in accordance with the wish of the Burmese people, and protests that another Burmese ruler would lead to endless trouble.

A deputation of school children waited on General Caceres at Lima, Friday, with a congratulatory address. A dispatch from Piura says all is quiet in that department. Caceres' resignation of the Provincial Presidency was published Sunday.

The Gettysburg lode, a mining claim at Canon City, Nev., which has been pending before the Interior Department for some years, on a protest of the Southwestern Mining Company, assignee of the Techatticup Mining Company, has been allowed a patent by a decision of the Secretary just made.

A Cincinnati dispatch says: A letter received from the wife of Mr. Pendleton to a lady in this city intimates that both she and her husband were much dissatisfied with Berlin, and that his resignation might shortly be expected. The facts are well known to personal friends here, but they have never before been made public.

It is stated in London that Parnell, seeing that the Tories and Parnellites combined would not be able to deal with the affairs of Ireland, in view of a certain cession to Irish Tories by the Conservatives, has made overtures to the Liberals. The Parnellites are said to declare that the Liberals and Parnellites combined can carry everything before them.

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THE LADIES OF THE CONGREGATIONAL Society will give a Dinner at Parlors of the Church NEXT FRIDAY, and a Musical and Literary Entertainment in the EVENING. Among those having numbers on the Programme are: Miss Eva Stevens, Miss Emma Felter, Mr. Joseph Terry, Miss Nellie Gregory, Miss Carleton, Mrs. T. P. Ross, Miss Julia Goodell, Mrs. Hansbrow, A. N. Buchanan and others. [B. C.] d8 1t

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Annual meeting of Concord Lodge, No. 117, F. and A. M., THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, December 8th, at 7 o'clock, for election of officers and transaction of other business. Visiting brethren cordially invited. By order of

THOS. FOX, W. M.

W. H. HEVENER, Secretary. d8-1t*

Attention, Veterans of the Mexican War!—You will meet at Pioneer Hall, Seventh street, between J and K, on TUESDAY EVENING, December 8th, at 7:30 o'clock. All veterans of the Mexican War, not belonging to the Association, are cordially invited to be present. By order J. DOMINGOS, President.

CHAS. HEINRICH, Secretary. d8-1t*

The regular meeting of the Olive Branch Ladies' Society will be held THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at Red Men's Hall, at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance is requested on business of importance. MRS. E. MOREHOUSE, President.

MRS. A. DECKER, Secretary. d5-1t*

Regular meeting Sunset Council, O. C. F., THIS EVENING, at 7:30 o'clock. Nomination and election of officers.

A. W. SHERWOOD, C. C.

C. H. DENTON, Secretary. d8-1t*

Sacramento Protestant Orphan Asylum Donations.—Following is a list of the donations received since last report: Collections from union services, Thanksgiving, $8; Sacramento News Co., books and papers; a Friend, Sabbath School papers; Raphael Gross, celery; D. De Bernardi & Co., celery, apples, ducks and geese; F. H. L. Weber, raisins; Moses Sprague, apples, quinces and walnuts; M. S. Pond, of Woodland, raisins; Mr. Epperson, of Epperson Station, pork; a Friend, a small package of clothing; J. F. H. Forbes, turkey.

MRS. W. H. HOBBY, Secretary.

Sacramento, December 7, 1885. [B. C.] d8-1t

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STRAYED OR STOLEN—ONE Chestnut Sorrel Horse, with white star in forehead; short mane; 15½ hands high; weighs about 1,150 pounds; white scar on right front leg. One Sorrel Mare, about 14 hands high; lump over left eye; tail appears to have been broken near the end. Any one giving information concerning the same will be suitably rewarded by T. CHINNICK, Elk Grove, Sacramento county. d8-1w*

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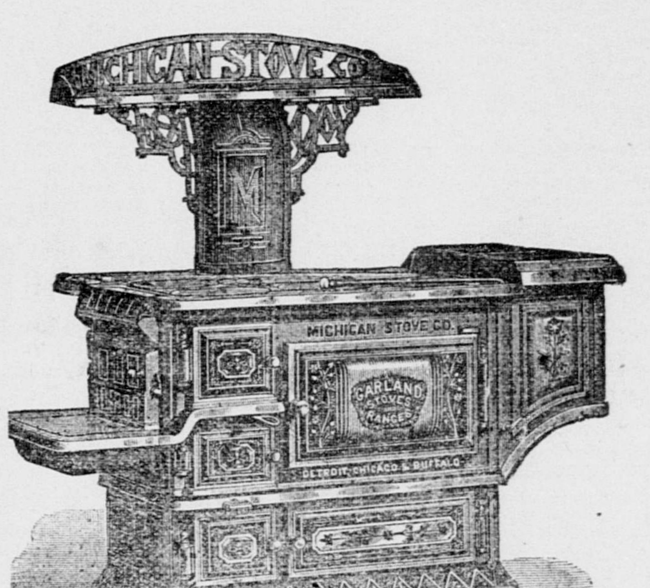


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TUESDAY.......................DECEMBER 8, 1885

## WEATHER REPORT.

**All Observations Taken on the 75th Meridian (Eastern) Time.**

SIGNAL OFFICE, U. S. ARMY }
SACRAMENTO, December 7, 1885. }
10 P. M. (Eastern time), 75th meridian; 7 P. M. (Pacific time), 120th meridian.

| Place of observation. | Barom. Hight | Barom. Change in 7 hours | Ther. Exposed | Ther. Change in 24 hours | Direction wind and velocity | Rain 8 hours | Weather |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tatoosh.... | ...... | ...... | ...... | ...... | ...... | ...... | ...... |
| Olympia .. | 30.26 | ...... | 44 | −2 | W. 6 | ...... | Clear |
| Sp. Falls .. | 30.04 | +.08 | 36 | −2 | W. lt | ...... | Clear |
| W. Walla .. | 29.95 | ...... | 44 | −5 | W. 6 | ...... | Clear |
| Ft. Canby. | 30.13 | −.10 | 48 | 0 | S. 7 | ...... | Cloudy |
| Portland .. | 30.33 | +.07 | 41 | −5 | S. lt | ...... | Fair |
| Roseburg. | 30.40 | +.05 | 40 | −6 | E. lt. | .03 | Clear |
| Men'cino. | | | | | | | |
| Red Bluff. | 30.25 | −.01 | 50 | +2 | N. 10 | ...... | Clear |
| Sac'to ...... | 30.19 | .09 | 52 | +6 | NW. 11 | ...... | Clear |
| San Fran.. | 30.22 | .00 | 54 | +3 | NW. 10 | ...... | Clear |
| Keeler ..... | 26.35 | +.17 | 42 | −9 | NW. 14 | ...... | Clear |
| S. L. Obis. | 30.09 | +.04 | 54 | −2 | N. 8 | ...... | Clear |
| L. Angls.. | 29.96 | +.03 | 54 | −3 | N. 19 | ...... | Clear |
| S. Diego .. | 29.89 | .00 | 57 | +2 | NW. lt | ...... | Clear |

Maximum temperature, 55.5; minimum temperature, 45.0. JAMES A. BARWICK, Sergeant, Signal Corps, U. S. A.

## ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Metropolitan Theater—Thompson Opera Company.
Clunie Opera House—"Life for Life."
Concord Lodge—Annual meeting.
Veterans Mexican War—Attention.
Sunset Council—This evening.
School of Design—627 J street.
S. P. O. A.—Return thanks.
Olive Branch—This evening.
Dinner and entertainment.

**Auction Sale.**

Real estate—December 9th, by order of Court.

**Business Advertisements.**

Red House—Ostrich plumes.
Gardener wants a situation.
Dwelling houses to let.
Horse strayed or stolen.
Young man wants a situation.
Woman wants place as housekeeper.
Thomas Bromley—Merchant tailor.
W. P. Coleman—Real estate and insurance.
Hale Bros. & Co.—Kid gloves.
Weinstock & Lubin—Fancy articles.

# LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

### The School Election.

The election in this city yesterday for a City School Superintendent and four School Directors did not draw out a large vote, the total being but 2,540. In the First Ward but 372 votes were polled, and in the Second 592. The Third Ward people showed their appreciation of what was due the cause of education, by turning out to the number of 821, and the Fourth Ward polled 755 votes. The fact that the polls closed (at sundown) before the men at the railroad shops ceased their labors probably accounts for the smallness of the total vote, though it does not explain why so few people voted down town. The Democrats made a vigorous fight to elect their candidate for Superintendent, in some instances sacrificing other candidates in his favor, and the result shows that they were successful, his majority being 148. The election did not warm up until the afternoon was well advanced, the Republicans seeming to be apathetic, believing that there was no danger but that their ticket would be successful. Messrs. Frees and Nottingham, on the Democratic ticket for Directors, had announced that they were not candidates, but they got a large complimentary vote notwithstanding. As will be seen by the annexed table, all the Republican Directors were elected:

| CANDIDATES. | First Ward | Second Ward | Third Ward | Fourth Ward | Four and a half Pre. | Total | Majority |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *School Supt.* | | | | | | | |
| Laine, R. | 193 | 241 | 388 | 180 | 190 | 1192 | |
| Board, D. | 179 | 349 | 429 | 177 | 206 | 1340 | 148 |
| *Directors.* | | | | | | | |
| Slater, R. | 231 | | | | | 231 | 105 |
| Frees, D. | 126 | | | | | 126 | |
| Todd, R. | | 322 | | | | 322 | 56 |
| Chadderdon, D. | | 266 | | | | 266 | |
| Davis, R. | | | 417 | | | 417 | 17 |
| Comstock, D. | | | 400 | | | 400 | |
| Erlewine, R. | | | | 212 | 255 | 467 | 194 |
| Nottingham, D. | | | | 135 | 138 | 273 | |

POLICE COURT.—The only matter tried before Judge Henry yesterday morning was that in which Thomas Donahue, James Duffy and James Franigan were charged with grand larceny, in stealing a silver watch and some money from P. J. Murphy. The charge was reduced to petit larceny, upon which the defendants pleaded guilty, and were ordered to appear for judgment to-morrow......P. Hollingsworth was charged with embezzlement in connection with another case in which Murphy is interested. The latter is said to have been worked upon by the young men mentioned above to bet that he had more money than one of their party had. They were in a saloon at the time, and Hollingsworth was the barkeeper. The $40 was put up in his hands as stake-holder, to keep until the bet should be decided. The other parties inform the officers that the money was to have been divided among them all if Murphy failed to claim it, and that it was not paid back. Murphy does not remember anything about the transaction. Hollingsworth says that Murphy called and claimed the money within an hour after it was put up, and it was returned to him. Judge Henry continued the hearing of the case until to-morrow.

"FROM BONDAGE TO FREEDOM."—Prof. J. C. Price, President of Zion Wesley College, Salisbury, N. C., will lecture in the Congregational Church this evening, having for his subject, "From Bondage to Freedom." Mr. Price has come to the Pacific coast in the interest of Southern education. He is especially interested in the completion of a building fund of $20,000, in order to secure a bequest dependent upon that amount being raised, when $5,000 is to be added to the endowment. Mr. Price only needs $5,000 to complete it. Senator Stanford indorsed the work of Prof. Price and the cause he represents by giving $5,000 to the work. The methods and needs of education at the South will be interestingly set forth this evening. Admission free.

DEATH OF AN OLD RAILROAD MAN.—Peter Clark Young died at the Railroad Hospital in this city Saturday evening, from disease of the heart. Deceased was a native of Scotland, aged about 54 years. He came to California in 1853, and has been in the employ of the railroad company for the past 20 years as a machinist. His home was in Truckee. He had a large circle of warm friends, who will sincerely regret his death. He leaves a wife and five children, and was step-father of Harry Rodgers, a well-known railroad man. He was a member of the Orders of Odd Fellows and Workmen, and was buried at Roseville under the auspices of those organizations.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.—The following articles of incorporation have been filed with the Secretary of State: Zebra Mining and Milling Company of San Jose, to operate mines throughout the State. Directors—J. S. Scott, Byron Jennings, A. W. Combs, J. T. Watkins, J. W. Combs. Capital stock, $1,200,000, divided into 125,000 shares of the par value of $10 each......Also, of the Bankers' and Merchants' Mutual Life Association of the United States. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors—Alexander Badlam, W. H. Brown, Theodore R. Hayes, I. B. Thurman, R. W. Murphy.

CHILDREN's china tea sets (15 pieces), for 10 cents; mirrors, with frame, 2 cents each; lady images, 15 cents each; children's little motto mugs (gold trimming), for 5 cents; painted cake plates, 20 cents; and a host of other things for the holidays, at Red House. *

WINGS, for 1 cent; three ostrich tips for 25 cents; ostrich plumes, 16 inches long, for 25 cents, in our millinery sale to-day. Red House. *

DON'T fail to secure one of those boys' overcoats (ages 12 to 16). Price, $4, at Hale Bros. *

WHY look further than Hale Bros. for men's blanket-lined goods; lowest prices are sure to rule. *

ASK to see the assortment of boys' calico waists—the largest assortment in the city, from 25 cents each upwards, at Hale Bros.*

THE most stylish youths' four-button cutaway frock suits, in two colors, price $17 50, are to be found at Hale Bros. *

LARGEST assortment—lowest prices on the coast. Hale Bros. & Co. *

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

**A Demand that the Funds of the City be Counted.**

The Board of City Trustees met yesterday at 10 A. M. Present, Nielsen and Jones, the former presiding in place of Mayor Brown, who is confined to his bed with illness. The weekly report of the Engineer of the Water Works and the monthly reports of the Superintendent of the Cemeteries, Harbormaster, Chief of Police and Poundmaster were read and ordered on file.

Judge H. O. Beatty, one of the Funded Debt Commissioners, appeared before the Board and stated that Daniel Meyer was ready, willing and anxious to withdraw his appeal from Judge McFarland's decision, providing the City Treasurer withdrew his appeal. He said he wanted the Trustees to know what the city was losing by the action of the Treasurer in this matter. He then reviewed at length what the Commission accomplished with the small amount placed at their disposal some years since, and the large amount of the city's indebtedness that could be wiped out at this time if the money which belongs to the Commission could be used for that purpose. He said if the Commission had not been handicapped at least $500,000 of the debt could have been paid. He said there was no reason for this unnecessary delay unless some one wants to use the money. He said he had been informed that the funds had been used for banking purposes. He demanded that the Board ascertain whether that money was on hand. "Count it, and see if it is there to-day." He said that he knew only what he was told. The city warrants were paid out of the same tray that other moneys are paid out of the bank. He said it was not morally, but it was legally wrong. If that money was kept constantly on hand, as a special deposit, in sealed sacks, he said he thought the City Treasurer would not offer so much opposition to paying it out as directed.

Mr. Abbott, cashier of the bank where the city funds are deposited, said he thought the remarks made by Judge Beatty against a private business institution was unmanly, unwarranted and against the public interest of the city. He then reviewed the case, defending Mr. Porter, who he said was acting in the interest of his bondsmen and upon the advice of Messrs. Catlin, McKune and City Attorney Anderson. Whenever they advise differently Mr. Porter's bondsmen would insist upon his paying out the money immediately. The money is there, he said, and the Trustees were invited to call and see for themselves. He said the attack upon Mr. Porter and the bank was unjust, backed by self-interest or contemptible meanness.

Judge Beatty—Will you now answer whether that money is there on special deposit or not, and whether it is kept in separate bags?

Mr. Abbott—Some is.

Judge Beatty—How much?

Mr. Abbott—I don't know, and you have no right to ask. Some is on special deposit.

Judge Beatty—I want the Board of Trustees to go to the bank and see how much is sealed up in bags.

Mr. Abbott—On whose authority?

Judge Beatty—Upon your statement.

Mr. Abbott—The Board is invited to do so at once.

Judge Beatty—And I demand, as a citizen and a taxpayer, that they do so.

Mr. Abbott—You will not be admitted within the door; you have no business there.

Mr. Porter said when Meyer withdrew his appeal, then he would act upon the advice of his lawyers and the Trustees. In addition to the attorneys enumerated by Mr. Abbott, he also had the advice of Judge Denson upon the matter. He was ready to pay the money over at any moment they advised him to do so, and his opinion was that he would be so advised after the withdrawal of Meyer's appeal.

Mr. Abbott said he desired to apologize to Mr. Beatty for the remarks that he had made, but he had heard so much of this matter that he had lost his temper.

Judge Beatty said he had heard that the bank was using the money, and it was against the law, even if it was not morally wrong. He did not wish Mr. Porter to take any chances.

Mr. Porter—My bond is not a straw one.

Judge Beatty—I don't think it is. I think your bondsmen are entirely responsible.

Trustee Nielsen said that Mr. Beatty was making strong assertions, and asked him if he had any proofs. "If you have," he said, "we will investigate, but do not propose to do so on mere hearsay."

Trustee Jones concurred in the remarks of Mr. Nielsen.

Judge Beatty—Mr. Abbott has admitted that some of the city funds are commingled with those of the bank. That is enough.

Mr. Porter—Meyer and Davis would like nothing better than an opportunity to scalp us.

Judge Beatty—The City Treasurer's bond will be sued for the interest on the money so detained. I know this for a fact, for I have it in writing. This matter shall no longer be all one-sided.

Further discussion of the subject was deferred on motion of Trustee Jones, until all the members of the Board were present.

After auditing a number of bills the Board adjourned.

### An Explanation.

The Marysville *Appeal* of the 5th instant said: "On the 3d instant the two copies of the RECORD-UNION addressed to the *Appeal* both failed to come to hand. But both arrived on Friday from 'Walnut Grove, Sacramento county,' where they had been missent. The new Democratic Postmaster at Sacramento should invest a dollar in a new geography, and go before the Civil Service Commission."

Postmaster Stephens being called upon yesterday for an explanation of the above, said: "I regret very much that the mistake occurred, but the fault was not with 'Democratic civil service,' except it rests in the fact that I have made no change in the position of mailing clerk of the newspaper and package department of the office. It might be well for the *Appeal* to invest a dollar in a new, or old, geography, and send it to the Republican mailing clerk here."

Mr. Stephens further said that it was a mistake liable to happen in any Postoffice, and particularly where there is as much mail matter handled, and in so brief a time, as there is in this office. The mailing clerks in this office have been in active service for the last 24 years, and it is claimed by many that they are the best in the service on the Pacific coast.

CLUNIE OPERA HOUSE.—The melodrama "Life for Life" was played at the opera house last night. Elloa Carfano appeared in the leading role, demanding four male personations. She filled them well and gave complete satisfaction. The foreign dialect is so slight upon her tongue as to be scarcely perceptible. The lady will prove a strong attraction for lovers of the sensational drama, which "Life for Life" is. It is French, romantic, full of startling situations and surprises, and is presented with some very handsome new scenery painted by Mr. Wilkins. The Bay of Naples, with the volcano in eruption, and the scene of the burning ship were the two most notable scenes. Miss Heath made a very effective impression by a superior rendering of a difficult role, and Miss Marshall as the blind girl Agnes made the character one of pathetic interest. Messrs. Staley, Montserrat, Vinton, Sawyer and Donley afforded good support. Other members of the Opera House stock company were listed in the play to good advantage. The drama will be repeated this evening.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Albert M. Johnson, receiver, by order of the Superior Court, will sell on the premises, at 10 A. M. to-morrow, the Coffee property on L street, between Fourth and Fifth, being the west half of the east half of lot 2, L and M, Fourth and Fifth streets. Sale positive; terms cash.

CHARLES ROBIN, 702 J street, has about 75 boys' suits left at 50 cents on the dollar. Also, more hats of the late P. Trope stock, at reduced prices for cash. Just received the finest line of young men's clothing in the State.*

A DECEMBER DISPLAY of fine silk handkerchiefs, ties, laces, etc. Buy while the variety is large: examine quality and price now on display at Red House. *

OUR tips and plumes are sold to-day at less than one-fourth of their value. Red House. *

VASES, 12 inches high, 10 cents; china cups and saucers, mustache cups (plain and mottoed), 25 cents. Red House. *

ALL customers receive to-day a Acme canary warbler at Red House. h

LADIES' Lisle thread hose, all colors and black, 50 cents per pair, at Red House. *

SALE of fine millinery, commencing to day, at Red House. *

## BRIEF NOTES.

But one arrest was made yesterday—John Brady, by officer Farrell, for being drunk.

A carload of thoroughbred horses recently engaged in the Blood Horse Association races came up from San Francisco last evening.

A young man who was fooling with the colored lights at the Clunie Opera House yesterday had his face burned slightly by an explosion.

The man O'Brien, who was injured last Saturday at the freight depot while unloading a truck, was yesterday able to be about, but not to go to work.

The ladies of the Congregational Society will give a dinner in the church parlors next Friday, and a musical and literary entertainment in the evening.

The Chinaman who fell from the trestle-work of the American river railroad bridge early Saturday morning has recovered sufficiently to go to San Francisco.

In Department One of the Superior Court yesterday W. T. Williams, a native of England, was admitted to citizenship on the testimony of J. D. Lockhart and L. Fassett.

W. M. Tavero exhibited at this office yesterday a mushroom found by him in the Grant, a mile west of Arcade. It measured 32 inches in circumference and over 10 in diameter.

Deputy Sheriff Wilson brought up from San Francisco last evening, en route to the State Prison at Folsom, Joseph Fogarty, who is to serve four years for burglary in the second degree.

Margaret J. Good, who came here recently from Tennessee, was yesterday examined by the Commissioners of Lunacy and committed to the Insane Asylum at Stockton. Her mania is not violent, but apt to lead her to injure herself.

The following-named Notaries Public were commissioned by the Governor yesterday: D. B. Spagnoli, Jackson; E. W. Wilson, Eureka; J. T. Rogers and R. H. Ward, Merced; John F. Ellison, Red Bluff; J. B. Little, Monticello.

The first cold weather of the season was experienced in this vicinity yesterday, when a strong northwest wind prevailed, and last evening there were indications of frost. The wind had a good effect in drying up the mud, and people were willing to put up with the coolness of the temperature, as long as they had an opportunity to see the sun.

J. R. Roblin, train-dispatcher at the depot, rejoices in the possession of the girl triplets referred to in yesterday's RECORD-UNION. They are all good-sized, healthy-looking little ones, and so much alike that they have to be marked with ribbons to identify them—red, white and blue. Mrs. Roblin's lady friends are in an ecstasy of delight over the little treasures.

At the annual meeting of Sacramento Lodge, No. 40, F. and A. M., the following officers were elected: C. H. Denton, W. M.; R. C. Irvine, S. W.; R. P. Burr, J. W.; W. M. Petrie, Treasurer; W. D. Knights, Secretary; J. R. Brown, S. D.; H. D. Nash, J. D.; Frank Griswold and W. A. Stephenson, Stewards; Rev. C. M. Davis, Chaplain; M. S. Hammer, Marshal; J. T. Griffitts, Organist; Thomas Ross, Tyler.

The following officers were elected by Tehama Lodge, No. 3, F. and A. M., last evening: Peter Durno, W. M.; Thomas W. Clark, S. W.; Clarence N. Nelson, J. W.; Alonzo Conklin, Treasurer; W. B. Davis, Secretary; Theodore G. Eilers, Senior Deacon; R. M. Meller, Junior Deacon; Robert Philip, John E. T. Pike, Stewards; Fred C. Stober, Marshal; Rev. Carroll M. Davis, Chaplain; John T. Griffitts, Organist; W. W. Sim, Tyler.

General Orders, No. 35, from National Guard headquarters, directs that "in recognition of the great sorrow universally felt for the death of Thomas A. Hendricks, Vice-President of the United States, and as a token of respect to the memory of that distinguished statesman and citizen, it is hereby ordered that the armories of the National Guard of California, and the colors of the several commands, be draped in mourning for thirty days, and all officers will wear the usual badge of mourning for the same period."

In Justice Post's Court yesterday the case of the People vs. Middlemiss, charged with misdemeanor in soliciting insurance without a license, was tried by jury, District Attorney Buckley and Grove L. Johnson appearing for the prosecution, and Matt. F. Johnson for the defense. The defendant introduced no testimony and made no defense. Notwithstanding which, and the Court's instructions, which were favorable to the prosecution, the jury failed to agree, eight standing in favor of conviction and four for acquittal.

METROPOLITAN THEATER.—The Thompson Opera Company opened in "The Mikado" at the Metropolitan last evening. When Mr. Carleton presented the same comic opera last week, he challenged comparisons by stating that other companies presenting the piece in the West gave the incomplete, and that the edition used by them was pirated. Since the issue has thus been raised, perhaps the best method of informing the public as to the merits of the Thompson troupe and piece at the Metropolitan is by comparison. The libretto of the Carleton company, as scanned page by page, was sung by the Thompson company last night with this modification, that the parts and songs omitted by the Carleton company were given in their entirety by the Thompson company—save in one case where a duplicated song is omitted by both troupes. One of the restorations by the Thompson troupe, and omitted by the Carleton company, is the song of Kalistra (contralto) "Hearts Do Not Break," and is a gem of the opera. Concerning "piracy," examination into the facts discloses that the Courts have held the opera to be public property, which emphasizes the necessity and wisdom of international copyright enactments. The Thompson troupe has some eight or ten people less on the stage. It had, however, an orchestra of twelve pieces last night, adding greatly to the musical effect. Kalistra last night, in the hands of Miss Godfrey, a strong and effective contralto, was made a leading part musically and dramatically, if not *the* leading part. In the Carleton troupe Miss Wisdom failed to give it character. Mr. Branson's tenor last night was stronger and clearer than the sweet tones of Mr. Louman last week. Between Mr. Pish Tush of Mr. Guise last week and that of Mr. Murray (baritone) this week there is no choice, but Mr. Murray has the better dramatic quality. The Ko Ko of Drew in Carleton's troupe is more humorous than that of McCallin in the Thompson—neither can sing. But the latter shows clearly that he is the more versatile actor, and for broad burlesque, cut loose from a musical score, McCullin would probably carry off the palm by verdict of the general theatrical audience. Mr. Seaman, as Poo Bah, is widely different in method from Mr. Greensfelder of last week, but both are competent, Mr. Greensfelder's voice being, however, of a more effective quality. The graceful posing of Miss Vincent is missed in the Pitti Sing of Miss Vining, who is, however, a graceful and pretty woman, but has not the art of Miss Vincent. The Peep Bo of Miss Braum last night was on precisely the level of that of Miss Quigley last week. The Yum Yum of Louise Paullin was not equaled in voice or action by that of Miss Hall last night. The Thompson chorus stands well beside that of Carleton in drill, and there is little choice as to quality or volume of tone. Carleton is the superior of Gillow as the Mikado in musical vocalism greatly, while Gillow is as good in dramatic action, but there is no demand for much musical effort by either in the opera, the part being brief, and musically weak. This, we take it, is a fair comparison, and the summing up is that the Thompson troupe is, as a whole, musically the better and stronger, while the Carleton is far better costumed. Two of the costumes in the troupe last night are rich and handsome, four others are pretty, the remainder are ordinary. The stage business differs in the Thompson troupe, following the scheme of the dog trot of the Mongolian and the rocking dance, while the Carleton company posed more and was less demonstrative. The scenery of the Thompson company is far better, and makes the stage very handsome. It consists of fine transparent scenes of Oriental foliage, and a bamboo gateway and railing in the rear center with foliage flanking it. The local management added lanterns and shrub decorations. It also decorated the entrance to the theater with shrubs and colored lanterns. The Thompson troupe gives a complete and enjoyable performance, and will probably meet with success here. All the troupe are strangers to this coast, except, we believe, Miss Godfrey, who was promient in the McCall Opera Company. "Mikado" again to-night, and it is well played, well sung—in some parts better than has been done here—is neatly mounted, the orchestra strong and the scenery fine. Those who have not heard the opera will be repaid by attending, and those who have heard it may still enjoy its repetition.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Phil. Herzog returned yesterday from Colfax.

Mrs. A. J. Stevens is paying San Francisco a visit.

Claus Anderson got back yesterday from Fresno county.

Rev. O. C. Wheeler passed through to San Francisco yesterday from Newcastle.

J. H. Glide, G. Politz and Ab. Stemler left for San Francisco yesterday afternoon.

C. B. Hawley, of San Francisco, is visiting his brother, Robert Hawley, in this city.

Professor Demers, the champion skater, went to Chico yesterday from San Francisco.

Mrs. S. S. Montague and Mrs. Chas. Reddington returned to Oakland yesterday from Chico.

Miss Linnie Farnsworth, of Oakland, is visiting her cousin, Miss Lydia Farnsworth, of this city.

Mrs. Baker, of San Francisco, who has been visiting her brother, A. H. Powers, of this city, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. M. F. Hubbard and children left yesterday for Oakland to reside for awhile, her health making a change of climate desirable.

Richard B. Belgrave, representing, and George Werner, business manager of the Grace Hawthorne theatrical troupe, are in the city.

Mrs. Thomas P. Ford leaves this morning for her home in Bieber, Lassen county, after a five-weeks' visit among friends in this city and Folsom.

Miss Hattie Philipps, formerly of this city, was tendered a surprise party at Plymouth Saturday evening in honor of her birthday.

M. Lavenson and J. P. Whitney and wife, of Rocklin; and Harry Camper, Rev. Dr. Simmons, and H. Bowers, of Chico, went to San Francisco yesterday.

Alfred McCarthy, formerly a resident of Sacramento, but now proprietor and publisher of the *Sierra Signal*, passed through the city yesterday on his way home from San Francisco.

Mr. Welch, the jovial landlord of a Humbug valley hotel, who is well known to those who have visited the Big Meadows on hunting and fishing excursions, passed through the city yesterday, en route for San Francisco.

In the city yesterday: M. D. Boruck, San Francisco; J. B. Patterson, Ophir; Justin Greeley, Marysville; John Gaffney and wife, Cook's Bar; Mrs. Mary Long, Michigan Bar; Mrs. W. H. Baldwin, Newcastle; Sam Vaughn, Cosumnes.

Congressman J. A. Louttit, of Stockton, went East last evening, en route for Washington, to take his seat in the House of Representatives. He was unable to go earlier because of a case in Court, in which he was an attorney, taking much longer to try than he had anticipated.

Arrivals at the Capital Hotel yesterday: Jack McCarthy, Reno; W. H. McClure, city; W. Stairley, city; Harris Jenks, R. C. Montgomery, San Francisco; H. J. Moran, Los Angeles; B. F. Clark, M.D., DruryCrowder and wife, Chico; S. Rosenbaum, San Francisco; Wm. Lowell, city; J. B. Miller, Robert Brock and wife, Quincy; Wm. Nichols, Jr., and wife, Dutch Flat; M. J. Murphy, New York; H. C. Stovall, Wm. Ash, Williams; Dr. Van Aukin, Chico; T. F. Judge, A. J. Allen, San Francisco; E. Mallows, Dutch Flat.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: Richard B. Belgrave, Grace Hawthorne Company; M. Fuchs, Baker City; W. A. Thompson and wife, A. W. F. McCollam, Miss F. D. Hall, Miss Virgie Hall, Phil Branson and wife, Willet Seamands, Miss Bete Vining, Miss Janet Grey, Thompson Opera Company; Carson B. Hawley, M. D. Boruck, San Francisco; H. K. Plate and wife, Natoma; H. G. Ross, G. N. Fields, J. E. Mills, G. W. Neybert, F. W. Lander, O. W. Elmore, San Francisco; Wm. Johnston, Richland; Dr. C. H. Gibbons, Arbuckle; M. M. Rhover, Berkeley; John R. Weeks, Chicago; Fred Dorrance, Geo. W. McPherson, Mrs. E. M. Gage, J. W. Stern, Louis Bien, San Francisco.

Arrivals at the State House yesterday: Walter G. Hyde, Australia; J. Wadeson, city; John R. Murchu, England; James Lee, Rock Hunt, Courtland; Ed. Traganza, Mrs. W. C. Sheldon, Cosumnes; J. L. Miller, J. A. Walker, Latrobe; George Vrooman, Florence Woodard, Anace Woodard, Cary Woodard, Carrie Butler, E. A. Woodard, Folsom; Fred. Wright, Geo. T. Clough, Galt; Thomas Steele, Clay Station; John Jacob Miller, Placerville; J. B. Scott, Deer Creek; Judge A. D. Oakley, Natoma; James T. Black, Freeport; F. M. Kesseling, C. Walker, Lincoln; Miss Minnie Russell, Dixon; T. J. Pierce, Pleasant Grove; Alex. Wilson, W. T. Pollock, R. Edwards, J. Walker, Mrs. Row, San Francisco.

AN ANNIVERSARY SOCIAL.—Sacramento Lodge, No. 11, Knights of Pythias, last evening celebrated their eighteenth anniversary in Odd Fellows' Temple. The hall was well filled with members and their wives, daughters and invited guests, and their entertainment was designated a "grand chivalric blue surprise tea party." George B. Katzenstein presided. The programme was as follows: Opening address, by H. Weinstock; musical selections, Mrs. and Misses Henry; impersonation (California Chinaman), Harry Morgan; recitation, Miss Henrietta Enright; piano solo, Miss Minnie Gutenberger; vocal solo, Mrs. W. Fitch; piano solo, Miss F. Spaulding; recitation, Miss Bertie Hirsch; comic song, Mr. Chapman; reading, Miss S. G. Risden; musical selection, Mrs. S. Katzenstein; Scotch character, "An aged Female;" recitation, Mr. Hunter; song, W. D. Crowe; piano solo, Miss Winters; song, A. Pritchard. After the literary exercises all were seated at three tables, which extended the length of the hall, and were heavily laden with the choicest edibles. The entertainment was a success.

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Sacramento, December 2—James Harvey to Louisa Peters, both of San Francisco.

Sacramento, December 5—By Justice of the Peace C. N. Post, David Barnes to Mary E. Ryan, both of Sacramento.

Sonora, December 2—Klaas Kroos to Henderktje Menses.

Near Edgwood, Siskiyou county, December 1—Robert F. Griffin to Lura A. Stone.

Grass Valley, December 2—John H. Sincock to Mary Jane Hales.

Grass Valley, December 3—Samuel W. Shurtleff to Mrs. Lottie Meek.

### BORN.

Sacramento, November 27—Wife of A. A. Jost, a son.

Sacramento, November 21—Wife of Fred. D. Griffith, a daughter.

Buckeye Valley, November 30—Wife of Allen Sherfey, a son.

Sawyer's Bar, Siskiyou county, November—Wife of H. P. Robinson, a daughter.

### DIED.

Sacramento, December 7—Mrs. Sarah Jane Kelly, a native of Kentucky, 55 years. (Kentucky and San Francisco papers please copy.)

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from her late residence, N street, between Front and Second, this afternoon at 2 o'clock; and thence to St. Rose Church, where funeral services will be held.] *

Near Sacramento, November 21—Louis Brendel, a native of California, 20 years, 8 months and 21 days.

[Funeral services will be held at the residence of his parents, 603 H street, to-morrow after noon at 2:30 o'clock.] *

Marysville, December 6—Catharine, wife of Robert Mellan, 63 years.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from her late residence, 1420 Tenth street, between N and O, this morning at 10:30 o'clock.]

San Francisco, December 3—Mrs. Kitty Jackson (mother of Mrs. Frank Malone), a native of Virginia.

Sonora, November 30—Williard Leonard Sears. 70 years.

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TUESDAY......................DECEMBER 8, 1885


### WEATHER REPORT.

**All Observations Taken on the 75th Meridian (Eastern) Time.**

SIGNAL OFFICE, U. S. ARMY }
SACRAMENTO, December 7, 1885. }
10 P. M. (Eastern time), 75th meridian; 7 P. M. (Pacific time), 120th meridian.

| Place of observation. | Barom. Hight..... | Barom. Change in 7 hours | Ther. Exposed.. | Ther. Change in 24 hors | Direction wind and velocity.. | Rain 8 hours.... | Weather........ |
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| Tatoosh... | | | | | | | |
| Olympia.. | 30.26 | ...... | 44 | —2 | W. 6 | ...... | Clear |
| Sp. Falls.. | 30.04 | +.08 | 36 | —2 | W. lt | ...... | Clear |
| W. Walla.. | 29.05 | ...... | 44 | —5 | W. 6 | ...... | Clear |
| Ft. Canby. | 30.13 | —.10 | 48 | 0 | S. 7 | ...... | Cloudy |
| Portland.. | 30.33 | +.07 | 41 | —5 | S. lt | ...... | Fair |
| Roseburg. | 30.40 | +.05 | 40 | —6 | E. lt. | .03 | Clear |
| Men'cino. | | | | | | | |
| Red Bluff. | 30.25 | —.01 | 50 | +2 | N. 10 | ...... | Clear |
| Sac'to ...... | 30.19 | .09 | 52 | +6 | NW. 11 | ...... | Clear |
| San Fran.. | 30.22 | .00 | 54 | +3 | NW. 10 | ...... | Clear |
| Keeler..... | 26.35 | +.17 | 42 | —9 | NW. 14 | ...... | Clear |
| S. L. Obis. | 30.09 | +.01 | 54 | —2 | N. 8 | ...... | Clear |
| L. Angis.. | 29.96 | +.03 | 54 | —3 | N. 19 | ...... | Clear |
| S. Diego .. | 29.89 | .00 | 57 | +2 | NW. lt | ...... | Clear |

Maximum temperature, 55.5; minimum temperature, 45.0. JAMES A. BARWICK, Sergeant, Signal Corps, U. S. A.

### ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Metropolitan Theater—Thompson Opera Company.
Clunie Opera House—"Life for Life."
Concord Lodge—Annual meeting.
Veterans Mexican War—Attention.
Sunset Council—This evening.
School of Design—627 J street.
S. P. O. A.—Return thanks.
Olive Branch—This evening.
Dinner and entertainment.

**Auction Sale.**

Real estate—December 9th, by order of Court.

**Business Advertisements.**

Red House—Ostrich plumes.
Gardener wants a situation.
Dwelling houses to let.
Horse strayed or stolen.
Young man wants a situation.
Woman wants place as housekeeper.
Thomas Bromley—Merchant tailor.
W. P. Coleman—Real estate and insurance.
Hale Bros. & Co.—Kid gloves.
Weinstock & Lubin—Fancy articles.

## LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

**The School Election.**

The election in this city yesterday for a City School Superintendent and four School Directors did not draw out a large vote, the total being but 2,540. In the First Ward but 372 votes were polled, and in the Second 592. The Third Ward people showed their appreciation of what was due the cause of education, by turning out to the number of 821, and the Fourth Ward polled 755 votes. The fact that the polls closed (at sundown) before the men at the railroad shops ceased their labors probably accounts for the smallness of the total vote, though it does not explain why so few people voted down town. The Democrats made a vigorous fight to elect their candidate for Superintendent, in some instances sacrificing other candidates in his favor, and the result shows that they were successful, his majority being 148. The election did not warm up until the afternoon was well advanced, the Republicans seeming to be apathetic, believing that there was no danger but that their ticket would be successful. Messrs. Frees and Nottingham, on the Democratic ticket for Directors, had announced that they were not candidates, but they got a large complimentary vote notwithstanding. As will be seen by the annexed table, all the Republican Directors were elected:

| CANDIDATES. | First Ward...... | Second Ward...... | Third Ward...... | Fourth Ward...... | Four and a half Pre.. | Total........ | Majority........ |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *School Supt.* | | | | | | | |
| Laine, R.......... | 193 | 241 | 388 | 180 | 190 | 1192 | ...... |
| Board, D.......... | 179 | 349 | 429 | 177 | 206 | 1340 | 148 |
| *Directors.* | | | | | | | |
| Slater, R.......... | 231 | ...... | ...... | ...... | ...... | 231 | 105 |
| Frees, D.......... | 126 | ...... | ...... | ...... | ...... | 126 | ...... |
| Todd, R.......... | ...... | 322 | ...... | ...... | ...... | 322 | 56 |
| Chadderdon, D... | ...... | 266 | ...... | ...... | ...... | 266 | ...... |
| Davis, R.......... | ...... | ...... | 417 | ...... | ...... | 417 | 17 |
| Comstock, D....... | ...... | ...... | 400 | ...... | ...... | 400 | ...... |
| Erlewine, R....... | ...... | ...... | ...... | 212 | 255 | 467 | 194 |
| Nottingham, D... | ...... | ...... | ...... | 135 | 138 | 273 | ...... |

POLICE COURT.—The only matter tried before Judge Henry yesterday morning was that in which Thomas Donahue, James Duffy and James Franigan were charged with grand larceny, in stealing a silver watch and some money from P. J. Murphy. The charge was reduced to petit larceny, upon which the defendants pleaded guilty, and were ordered to appear for judgment to-morrow....P. Hollingsworth was charged with embezzlement in connection with another case in which Murphy is interested. The latter is said to have been worked upon by the young men mentioned above to bet that he had more money than one of their party had. They were in a saloon at the time, and Hollingsworth was the barkeeper. The $40 was put up in his hands as stake-holder, to keep until the bet should be decided. The other parties inform the officers that the money was to have been divided among them all if Murphy failed to claim it, and that it was not paid back. Murphy does not remember anything about the transaction. Hollingsworth says that Murphy called and claimed the money within an hour after it was put up, and it was returned to him. Judge Henry continued the hearing of the case until to-morrow.

"FROM BONDAGE TO FREEDOM."—Prof. J. C. Price, President of Zion Wesley College, Salisbury, N. C., will lecture in the Congregational Church this evening, having for his subject, "From Bondage to Freedom." Mr. Price has come to the Pacific coast in the interest of Southern education. He is especially interested in the completion of a building fund of $20,000, in order to secure a bequest dependent upon that amount being raised, when $5,000 is to be added to the endowment. Mr. Price only needs $5,000 to complete it. Senator Stanford indorsed the work of Prof. Price and the cause he represents by giving $5,000 to the work. The methods and needs of education at the South will be interestingly set forth this evening. Admission free.

DEATH OF AN OLD RAILROAD MAN.—Peter Clark Young died at the Railroad Hospital in this city Saturday evening, from disease of the heart. Deceased was a native of Scotland, aged about 54 years. He came to California in 1853, and has been in the employ of the railroad company for the past 20 years as a machinist. His home was in Truckee. He had a large circle of warm friends, who will sincerely regret his death. He leaves a wife and five children, and was step-father of Harry Rodgers, a well-known railroad man. He was a member of the Orders of Odd Fellows and Workmen, and was buried at Roseville under the auspices of those organizations.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.—The following articles of incorporation have been filed with the Secretary of State: Zebra Mining and Milling Company of San Jose, to operate mines throughout the State. Directors—J. S. Scott, Byron Jennings, A. W. Combs, J. T. Watkins, J. W. Combs. Capital stock, $1,200,000, divided into 125,000 shares of the par value of $10 each......Also, of the Bankers' and Merchants' Mutual Life Association of the United States. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors—Alexander Badlam, W. H. Brown, Theodore R. Hayes, I. B. Thurman, R. W. Murphy.

CHILDREN'S china tea sets (15 pieces), for 10 cents; mirrors, with frame, 2 cents each; lady images, 15 cents each; children's little motto mugs (gold trimming), for 5 cents; painted cake plates, 20 cents; and a host of other things for the holidays, at Red House. *

WINGS, for 1 cent; three ostrich tips for 25 cents; ostrich plumes, 16 inches long, for 25 cents, in our millinery sale to-day. Red House. *

DON'T fail to secure one of those boys' overcoats (ages 12 to 16). Price, $4, at Hale Bros. *

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### BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

**A Demand that the Funds of the City be Counted.**

The Board of City Trustees met yesterday at 10 A. M. Present, Nielsen and Jones, the former presiding in place of Mayor Brown, who is confined to his bed with illness. The weekly report of the Engineer of the Water Works and the monthly reports of the Superintendent of the Cemeteries, Harbormaster, Chief of Police and Poundmaster were read and ordered on file.

Judge H. O. Beatty, one of the Funded Debt Commissioners, appeared before the Board and stated that Daniel Meyer was ready, willing and anxious to withdraw his appeal from Judge McFarland's decision, providing the City Treasurer withdrew his appeal. He said he wanted the Trustees to know what the city was losing by the action of the Treasurer in this matter. He then reviewed at length what the Commission accomplished with the small amount placed at their disposal some years since, and the large amount of the city's indebtedness that could be wiped out at this time if the money which belongs to the Commission could be used for that purpose. He said if the Commission had not been handicapped at least $500,000 of the debt could have been paid. He said there was no reason for this unnecessary delay unless some one wants to use the money. He said he had been informed that the funds had been used for banking purposes. He demanded that the Board ascertain whether that money was on hand. "Count it, and see if it is there to-day." He said that he knew only what he was told. The city warrants were paid out of the same tray that other moneys are paid out of the bank. He said it was not morally, but it was legally wrong. If that money was kept constantly on hand, as a special deposit, in sealed sacks, he said he thought the City Treasurer would not offer so much opposition to paying it out as directed.

Mr. Abbott, cashier of the bank where the city funds are deposited, said he thought the remarks made by Judge Beatty against a private business institution was unmanly, unwarranted and against the public interest of the city. He then reviewed the case, defending Mr. Porter, who he said was acting in the interest of his bondsmen and upon the advice of Messrs. Catlin, McKune and City Attorney Anderson. Whenever they advise differently Mr. Porter's bondsmen would insist upon his paying out the money immediately. The money is there, he said, and the Trustees were invited to call and see for themselves. He said the attack upon Mr. Porter and the bank was unjust, backed by self-interest or contemptible meanness.

Judge Beatty—Will you now answer whether that money is there on special deposit or not, and whether it is kept in separate bags?

Mr. Abbott—Some is.

Judge Beatty—How much?

Mr. Abbott—I don't know, and you have no right to ask. Some is on special deposit.

Judge Beatty—I want the Board of Trustees to go to the bank and see how much is sealed up in bags.

Mr. Abbott—On whose authority?

Judge Beatty—Upon your statement.

Mr. Abbott—The Board is invited to do so at once.

Judge Beatty—And I demand, as a citizen and a taxpayer, that they do so.

Mr. Abbott—You will not be admitted within the door; you have no business there.

Mr. Porter said when Meyer withdrew his appeal, then he would act upon the advice of his lawyers and the Trustees. In addition to the attorneys enumerated by Mr. Abbott, he also had the advice of Judge Denson upon the matter. He was ready to pay the money over at any moment they advised him to do so, and his opinion was that he would be so advised after the withdrawal of Meyer's appeal.

Mr. Abbott said he desired to apologize to Mr. Beatty for the remarks that he had made, but he had heard so much of this matter that he had lost his temper.

Judge Beatty said he had heard that the bank was using the money, and it was against the law, even if it was not morally wrong. He did not wish Mr. Porter to take any chances.

Mr. Porter—My bond is not a straw one.

Judge Beatty—I don't think it is. I think your bondsmen are entirely responsible.

Trustee Nielsen said that Mr. Beatty was making strong assertions, and asked him if he had any proofs. "If you have," he said, "we will investigate, but do not propose to do so on mere hearsay."

Trustee Jones concurred in the remarks of Mr. Nielsen.

Judge Beatty—Mr. Abbott has admitted that some of the city funds are commingled with those of the bank. That is enough.

Mr. Porter—Meyer and Davis would like nothing better than an opportunity to scalp us.

Judge Beatty—The City Treasurer's bond will be sued for the interest on the money so detained. I know this for a fact, for I have it in writing. This matter shall no longer be all one-sided.

Further discussion of the subject was deferred on motion of Trustee Jones, until all the members of the Board were present.

After auditing a number of bills the Board adjourned.

**An Explanation.**

The Marysville *Appeal* of the 5th instant said: "On the 3d instant the two copies of the RECORD-UNION addressed to the *Appeal* both failed to come to hand. But both arrived on Friday from 'Walnut Grove, Sacramento county,' where they had been missent. The new Democratic Postmaster at Sacramento should invest a dollar in a new geography, and go before the Civil Service Commission."

Postmaster Stephens being called upon yesterday for an explanation of the above, said: "I regret very much that the mistake occurred, but the fault was not with 'Democratic civil service,' except it rests in the fact that I have made no change in the position of mailing clerk of the newspaper and package department of the office. It might be well for the *Appeal* to invest a dollar in a new, or old, geography, and send it to the Republican mailing clerk here."

Mr. Stephens further said that it was a mistake liable to happen in any Postoffice, and particularly where there is as much mail matter handled, and in so brief a time, as there is in this office. The mailing clerks in this office have been in active service for the last 24 years, and it is claimed by many that they are the best in the service on the Pacific coast.

CLUNIE OPERA HOUSE.—The melodrama "Life for Life" was played at the opera house last night. Elloa Carfano appeared in the leading role, demanding four male personations. She filled them well and gave complete satisfaction. The foreign dialect is so slight upon her tongue as to be scarcely perceptible. The lady will prove a strong attraction for lovers of the sensational drama, which "Life for Life" is. It is French, romantic, full of startling situations and surprises, and is presented with some very handsome new scenery painted by Mr. Wilkins. The Bay of Naples, with the volcano in eruption, and the scene of the burning ship were the two most notable scenes. Miss Heath made a very effective impression by a superior rendering of a difficult role, and Miss Marshall as the blind girl Agnes made the character one of pathetic interest. Messrs. Staley, Montserrat, Vinton, Sawyer and Donley afforded good support. Other members of the Opera House stock company were listed in the play to good advantage. The drama will be repeated this evening.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Albert M. Johnson, receiver, by order of the Superior Court, will sell on the premises, at 10 A. M. to-morrow, the Coffee property on L street, between Fourth and Fifth, being the west half of the east half of lot 2, L and M, Fourth and Fifth streets. Sale positive; terms cash.

CHARLES ROBIN, 702 J street, has about 75 boys' suits left at 50 cents on the dollar. Also, more hats of the late P. Trope stock, at reduced prices for cash. Just received the finest line of young men's clothing in the State.*

A DECEMBER DISPLAY of fine silk handkerchiefs, ties, laces, etc. Buy while the variety is large; examine quality and price now on display at Red House. *

OUR tips and plumes are sold to-day at less than one-fourth of their value. Red House.

VASES, 12 inches high, 10 cents; china cups and saucers, mustache cups (plain and mottoed), 25 cents. Red House. *

ALL customers receive to-day a Acme canary warbler at Red House. h

LADIES' Lisle thread hose, all colors and black, 50 cents per pair, at Red House. *

SALE of fine millinery, commencing to-day, at Red House. *

### BRIEF NOTES.

But one arrest was made yesterday—John Brady, by officer Farrell, for being drunk.

A carload of thoroughbred horses recently engaged in the Blood Horse Association races came up from San Francisco last evening.

A young man who was fooling with the colored lights at the Clunie Opera House yesterday had his face burned slightly by an explosion.

The man O'Brien, who was injured last Saturday at the freight depot while unloading a truck, was yesterday able to be about, but not to go to work.

The ladies of the Congregational Society will give a dinner in the church parlors next Friday, and a musical and literary entertainment in the evening.

The Chinaman who fell from the trestlework of the American river railroad bridge early Saturday morning has recovered sufficiently to go to San Francisco.

In Department One of the Superior Court yesterday W. T. Williams, a native of England, was admitted to citizenship on the testimony of J. D. Lockhart and L. Fassett.

W. M. Tavero exhibited at this office yesterday a mushroom found by him in the Grant, a mile west of Arcade. It measured 32 inches in circumference and over 10 in diameter.

Deputy Sheriff Wilson brought up from San Francisco last evening, en route to the State Prison at Folsom, Joseph Fogarty, who is to serve four years for burglary in the second degree.

Margaret J. Good, who came here recently from Tennessee, was yesterday examined by the Commissioners of Lunacy and committed to the Insane Aslyum at Stockton. Her mania is not violent, but apt to lead her to injure herself.

The following-named Notaries Public were commissioned by the Governor yesterday: D. B. Spagnoli, Jackson; E. W. Wilson, Eureka; J. T. Rogers and R. H. Ward, Merced; John F. Ellison, Red Bluff; J. B. Little, Monticello.

The first cold weather of the season was experienced in this vicinity yesterday, when a strong northwest wind prevailed, and last evening there were indications of frost. The wind had a good effect in drying up the mud, and people were willing to put up with the coolness of the temperature, as long as they had an opportunity to see the sun.

J. R. Roblin, train-dispatcher at the depot, rejoices in the possession of the girl triplets referred to in yesterday's RECORD-UNION. They are all good-sized, healthy-looking little ones, and so much alike that they have to be marked with ribbons to identify them—red, white and blue. Mrs. Roblin's lady friends are in an ecstasy of delight over the little treasures.

At the annual meeting of Sacramento Lodge, No. 40, F. and A. M., the following officers were elected: C. H. Denton, W. M.; R. C. Irvine, S. W.; R. P. Burr, J. W.; W. M. Petrie, Treasurer; W. D. Knights, Secretary; J. R. Brown, S. D.; H. D. Nash, J. D.; Frank Griswold and W. A. Stephenson, Stewards; Rev. C. M. Davis, Chaplain; M. S. Hammer, Marshal; J. T. Griffitts, Organist; Thomas Ross, Tyler.

The following officers were elected by Tehama Lodge, No. 3, F. and A. M., last evening: Peter Durno, W. M.; Thomas W. Clark, S. W.; Clarence N. Nelson, J. W.; Alonzo Conklin, Treasurer; W. B. Davis, Secretary; Theodore G. Eilers, Senior Deacon; R. M. Meller, Junior Deacon; Robert Philip, John E. T. Pike, Stewards; Fred C. Stober, Marshal; Rev. Carroll M. Davis, Chaplain; John T. Griffitts, Organist; W. W. Sim, Tyler.

General Orders, No. 35, from National Guard headquarters, directs that "in recognition of the great sorrow universally felt for the death of Thomas A. Hendricks, Vice-President of the United States, and as a token of respect to the memory of that distinguished statesman and citizen, it is hereby ordered that the armories of the National Guard of California, and the colors of the several commands, be draped in mourning for thirty days, and all officers will wear the usual badge of mourning for the same period."

In Justice Post's Court yesterday the case of the People vs. Middlemiss, charged with misdemeanor in soliciting insurance without a license, was tried by jury, District Attorney Buckley and Grove L. Johnson appearing for the prosecution, and Matt. F. Johnson for the defense. The defendant introduced no testimony and made no defense. Notwithstanding which, and the Court's instructions, which were favorable to the prosecution, the jury failed to agree, eight standing in favor of conviction and four for acquittal.

METROPOLITAN THEATER.—The Thompson Opera Company opened in "The Mikado" at the Metropolitan last evening. When Mr. Carleton presented the same comic opera last week, he challenged comparisons by stating that other companies presenting the piece in the West gave the incomplete, and that the edition used by them was pirated. Since the issue has thus been raised, perhaps the best method of informing the public as to the merits of the Thompson troupe and piece at the Metropolitan is by comparison. The libretto of the Carleton company, as scanned page by page, was sung by the Thompson company last night with this modification, that the parts and songs omitted by the Carleton company were given in their entirety by the Thompson company—save in one case where a duplicated song is omitted by both troupes. One of the restorations by the Thompson troupe, and omitted by the Carleton company, is the song of Kalistra (contralto) "Hearts Do Not Break," and is a gem of the opera. Concerning "piracy," examination into the facts discloses that the Courts have held the opera to be public property, which emphasizes the necessity and wisdom of international copyright enactments. The Thompson troupe has some eight or ten people less on the stage. It had, however, an orchestra of twelve pieces last night, adding greatly to the musical effect. Kalistra last night, in the hands of Miss Godfrey, a strong and effective contralto, was made a leading part musically and dramatically, if not *the* leading part. In the Carleton troupe Miss Wisdom failed to give it character. Mr. Branson's tenor last night was stronger and clearer than the sweet tones of Mr. Louman last week. Between Mr. Pish Tush of Mr. Guise last week and that of Mr. Murray (baritone) this week there is no choice, but Mr. Murray has the better dramatic quality. The Ko Ko of Drew in Carleton's troupe is more humorous than that of McCallin in the Thompson—neither can sing. But the latter shows clearly that he is the more versatile actor, and for broad burlesque, cut loose from a musical score, McCullin would probably carry off the palm by verdict of the general theatrical audience. Mr. Seaman, as Poo Bah, is widely different in method from Mr. Greensfelder of last week, but both are competent, Mr. Greensfelder's voice being, however, of a more effective quality. The graceful posing of Miss Vincent is missed in the Pitti Sing of Miss Vining, who is, however, a graceful and pretty woman, but has not the art of Miss Vincent. The Peep Bo of Miss Braum last night was on precisely the level of that of Miss Quigley last week. The Yum Yum of Louise Paullin was not equaled in voice or action by that of Miss Hall last night. The Thompson chorus stands well beside that of Carleton in drill, and there is little choice as to quality or volume of tone. Carleton is the superior of Gillow as the Mikado in musical vocalism greatly, while Gillow is as good in dramatic action, but there is no demand for much musical effort by either in the opera, the part being brief, and musically weak. This, we take it, is a fair comparison, and the summing up is that the Thompson troupe is, as a whole, musically the better and stronger, while the Carleton is far better costumed. Two of the costumes in the troupe last night are rich and handsome, four others are pretty, the remainder are ordinary. The stage business differs in the Thompson troupe, following the scheme of the dog trot of the Mongolian and the rocking dance, while the Carleton company posed more and was less demonstrative. The scenery of the Thompson company is far better, and makes the stage very handsome. It consists of fine transparent scenes of Oriental foliage, and a bamboo gateway and railing in the rear center with foliage flanking it. The local management added lanterns and shrub decorations. It also decorated the entrance to the theater with shrubs and colored lanterns. The Thompson troupe gives a complete and enjoyable performance, and will probably meet with success here. All the troupe are strangers to this coast, except, we believe, Miss Godfrey, who was promient in the McCall Opera Company. "Mikado" again to-night, and it is well played, well sung—in some parts better than has been done here—is neatly mounted, the orchestra strong and the scenery fine. Those who have not heard the opera will be repaid by attending, and those who have heard it may still enjoy its repetition.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Phil. Herzog returned yesterday from Colfax.

Mrs. A. J. Stevens is paying San Francisco a visit.

Claus Anderson got back yesterday from Fresno county.

Rev. O. C. Wheeler passed through to San Francisco yesterday from Newcastle.

J. H. Glide, G. Politz and Ab. Stemler left for San Francisco yesterday afternoon.

C. B. Hawley, of San Francisco, is visiting his brother, Robert Hawley, in this city.

Professor Demers, the champion skater, went to Chico yesterday from San Francisco.

Mrs. S. S. Montague and Mrs. Chas. Reddington returned to Oakland yesterday from Chico.

Miss Linnie Farnsworth, of Oakland, is visiting her cousin, Miss Lydia Farnsworth, of this city.

Mrs. Baker, of San Francisco, who has been visiting her brother, A. H. Powers, of this city, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. M. F. Hubbard and children left yesterday for Oakland to reside for awhile, her health making a change of climate desirable.

Richard B. Belgrave, representing, and George Werner, business manager of the Grace Hawthorne theatrical troupe, are in the city.

Mrs. Thomas P. Ford leaves this morning for her home in Bieber, Lassen county, after a five-weeks' visit among friends in this city and Folsom.

Miss Hattie Philipps, formerly of this city, was tendered a surprise party at Plymouth Saturday evening in honor of her birthday.

M. Lavenson and J. P. Whitney and wife, of Rocklin; and Harry Camper, Rev. Dr. Simmons, and H. Bowers, of Chico, went to San Francisco yesterday.

Alfred McCarthy, formerly a resident of Sacramento, but now proprietor and publisher of the *Sierra Signal*, passed through the city yesterday on his way home from San Francisco.

Mr. Welch, the jovial landlord of a Humbug valley hotel, who is well known to those who have visited the Big Meadows on hunting and fishing excursions, passed through the city yesterday, en route for San Francisco.

In the city yesterday: M. D. Boruck, San Francisco; J. B. Patterson, Ophir; Justin Greeley, Marysville; John Gaffney and wife, Cook's Bar; Mrs. Mary Long, Michigan Bar; Mrs. W. H. Baldwin, Newcastle; Sam Vaughn, Cosumnes.

Congressman J. A. Louttit, of Stockton, went East last evening, en route for Washington, to take his seat in the House of Representatives. He was unable to go earlier because of a case in Court, in which he was an attorney, taking much longer to try than he had anticipated.

Arrivals at the Capital Hotel yesterday: Jack McCarthy, Reno; W. H. McClure, city; W. Stairley, city; Harris Jenks, R. C. Montgomery, San Francisco; H. J. Moran, Los Angeles; B. F. Clark, M.D., DruryCrowder and wife, Chico; S. Rosenbaum, San Francisco; Wm. Lowell, city; J. B. Miller, Robert Brock and wife, Quincy; Wm. Nichols, Jr., and wife, Dutch Flat; M. J. Murphy, New York; H. C. Stovall, Wm. Ash, Williams; Dr. Van Aukin, Chico; T. F. Judge, A. J. Allen, San Francisco; E. Mallows, Dutch Flat.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: Richard B. Belgrave, Grace Hawthorne Company; M. Fuchs, Baker City; W. A. Thompson and wife, A. W. F. McCollam, Miss F. D. Hall, Miss Virgie Hall, Phil Branson and wife, Willet Seamands, Miss Bete Vining, Miss Janet Grey, Thompson Opera Company; Carson B. Hawley, M. D. Boruck, San Francisco; H. K. Plate and wife, Natoma; H. G. Ross, G. N. Fields, J. E. Mills, G. W. Neybert, F. W. Lander, O. W. Elmore, San Francisco; Wm. Johnston, Richland; Dr. C. H. Gibbons, Arbuckle; M. M. Rhover, Berkeley; John R. Weeks, Chicago; Fred Dorrance, Geo. W. McPherson, Mrs. E. M. Gage, J. W. Stern, Louis Bien, San Francisco.

Arrivals at the State House yesterday: Walter G. Hyde, Australia; J. Wadeson, city; John R. Murchu, England; James Lee, Rock Hunt, Courtland; Ed. Traganza, Mrs. W. C. Sheldon, Cosumnes; J. L. Miller, J. A. Walker, Latrobe; George Vrooman, Florence Woodard, Anace Woodard, Cary Woodard, Carrie Butler, E. A. Woodard, Folsom; Fred. Wright, Geo. T. Clough, Galt; Thomas Steele, Clay Station; John Jacob Miller, Placerville; J. B. Scott, Deer Creek; Judge A. D. Oakley, Natoma; James T. Black, Freeport; F. M. Kessehing, C. Walker, Lincoln; Miss Minnie Russell, Dixon; T. J. Pierce, Pleasant Grove; Alex. Wilson, W. T. Pollock, R. Edwards, J. Walker, Mrs. Row, San Francisco.

AN ANNIVERSARY SOCIAL.—Sacramento Lodge, No. 11, Knights of Pythias, last evening celebrated their eighteenth anniversary in Odd Fellows' Temple. The hall was well filled with members and their wives, daughters and invited guests, and their entertainment was designated a "grand chivalric blue surprise tea party." George B. Katzenstein presided. The programme was as follows: Opening address, by H. Weinstock; musical selections, Mrs. and Misses Henry; impersonation (California Chinaman), Harry Morgan; recitation, Miss Henrietta Enright; piano solo, Miss Minnie Gutenberger; vocal solo, Mrs. W. Fitch; piano solo, Miss F. Spaulding; recitation, Miss Bertie Hirsch; comic song, Mr. Chapman; reading, Miss S. G. Risden; musical selection, Mrs. S. Katzenstein; Scotch character, "An aged Female;" recitation, Mr. Hunter; song, W. D. Crowe; piano solo, Miss Winters; song, A. Pritchard. After the literary exercises all were seated at three tables, which extended the length of the hall, and were heavily laden with the choicest edibles. The entertainment was a success.

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Sacramento, December 2—James Harvey to Louisa Peters, both of San Francisco.
Sacramento, December 5—By Justice of the Peace C. N. Post, David Barnes to Mary E. Ryan, both of Sacramento.
Sonora, December 2—Klaas Kroos to Henderktje Menses.
Near Edgwood, Siskiyou county, December 1—Robert F. Griffin to Lura A. Stone.
Grass Valley, December 2—John H. Sincock to Mary Jane Hales.
Grass Valley, December 3—Samuel W. Shurtleff to Mrs. Lottie Meek.

**BORN.**

Sacramento, November 27—Wife of A. A. Jost, a son.
Sacramento, November 21—Wife of Fred. D. Griffith, a daughter.
Buckeye Valley, November 30—Wife of Allen Sherfey, a son.
Sawyer's Bar, Siskiyou county, November—Wife of H. P. Robinson, a daughter.

**DIED.**

Sacramento, December 7—Mrs. Sarah Jane Kelly, a native of Kentucky, 55 years. (Kentucky and San Francisco papers please copy.)
[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from her late residence, N street, between Front and Second, this afternoon at 2 o'clock; and thence to St. Rose Church, where funeral services will be held.] *
Near Sacramento, November 21—Louis Brendel, a native of California, 20 years, 8 months and 21 days.
[Funeral services will be held at the residence of his parents, 603 H street, to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.] *
Marysville, December 6—Catharine, wife of Robert Mellan, 63 years.
[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from her late residence, 1420 Tenth street, between N and O, this morning at 10:30 o'clock.]
San Francisco, December 3—Mrs. Kitty Jackson (mother of Mrs. Frank Malone), a native of Virginia.
Sonora, November 30—Williard Leonard Sears, 70 years.


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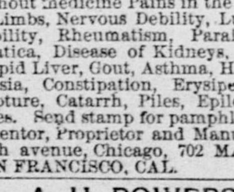


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## THE JANUARY CASE.

**Judge Van Fleet Refuses to Settle or Allow Defendant's Bill of Exceptions.**

Judge Van Fleet yesterday made the following order in the January case. It is presumed that the defendant will apply to the Supreme Court for a writ of mandate, directing the Judge to show cause before that body why he does not settle and allow a bill of exceptions:

The People vs. A. D. January—On the 30th day of November, 1885, a proposed bill of exceptions on behalf of the defendant in the above entitled cause was presented to the Judge who tried said cause for settlement. The District Attorney and his associate appearing at the time interposed, and filed in writing a motion to strike said proposed bill from the files of said Court, and that the settlement thereof be denied upon several grounds set out in detail in said motion, but which may be briefly stated thus:

First—Because the bill as then proposed was not the same bill proposed by the defendant within the time given for that purpose, for the reason that the same, subsequent to the first presentation, had been mutilated and interlined, and portions thereof bodily cut out and extracted, and new matter inserted therein.

Second—Because said bill as originally proposed was not a bill of exceptions within the provisions of Sections 1171 and 1174 of the Penal Code, for the reason that it was substantially but a long-hand transcript of the reporter's notes of the proceedings and testimony taken at the trial.

Third—That said bill as now proposed was not prepared or presented until long after the expiration of the time within which defendant was entitled and required to present his bill of exceptions.

Fourth—That no notice was served upon the District Attorney of the presentation of said bill as first proposed, and

Fifth—Because the notice of the presentation of said bill as now proposed was served long after the time had expired within which defendant could present such bill or give notice thereof. Said motion was based upon the record and minutes in said case, said proposed bills of exceptions and oral testimony.

The defendant admitted that the bills, as originally proposed, had been changed, and thereupon proposed and presented both the bills as originally proposed and the bill as now proposed, and asked that they be together settled and allowed.

From the record and other evidence introduced, it appears that the verdict in this case was rendered on the 30th day of April, 1885; that the date of passing sentence was thereafter continued from time to time, upon motion of defendant, until the 25th day of June, when the judgment of the Court was pronounced; that thereafter, and within the ten days allowed by law for that purpose, the defendant asked, and the Court granted, thirty days' additional time within which to prepare and serve his proposed bill of exceptions; that on the 4th day of August, on application of defendant, said time was again extended, by order of the Judge, to August 16th, and on the 17th day of August said time was in like manner still further extended to the 30th of August.

That on the 16th day of August one of the attorneys for defendant presented to and left with the Clerk, in the absence of the Judge, a proposed bill of exceptions in said case, and on the same day said attorney, not finding the District Attorney in the city of Sacramento, and finding his office locked, so that entrance could not be gained thereto, shoved under the door of said office a notice that said proposed bill had been left with the Clerk, and that the same would be presented for settlement on the 30th day of August. Nothing further was done towards the settlement of said proposed bill until the 31st day of October, when one of the defendant's attorneys, in the absence of the District Attorney, and without notice of his intention so to do, presented said proposed bill to the Judge with a request that he settle and certify the same. That upon examination by the Judge, it appeared that with the exception of a few pages, of original matter consisting of the caption and specifications of error, said proposed bill was substantially but a long-hand transcript of the reporter's notes of the evidence and proceedings taken at the trial, with portions thereof erased by drawing a pen through the lines. That by reason of that fact, and the fact that no notice had been given to the District Attorney, of said presentation, said Judge refused to settle and certify said bill, or act upon the same at that time, and informed the defendant's attorney that he would not take action in the premises without notice being served upon the District Attorney.

That thereupon defendant's attorneys took said proposed bill, and cut and extracted therefrom some forty-six pages thereof, consisting of that portion constituting the reporter's transcript of testimony, and replaced said matter with what purports and is represented to be a statement in narrative form of the substance of the testimony; and after making some further alterations in said bill, in the way of adding some specifications of error not in the original bill, together with a statement that the bill contains in substance all the evidence introduced at the trial, said bill, in its altered form, was on the 12th day of November delivered to the Clerk, and notice served upon the District Attorney that said bill would be presented to the Judge for settlement on Monday, the 16th day of November.

Upon these facts the District Attorney now asks that the said bill, as delivered to the Clerk on August 18th, be stricken from the files and denied settlement—

First—Because no notice of its presentation was served upon him. And he asks that the bill as proposed November 30th be likewise stricken out and denied settlement, upon the ground that the same is presented too late, and no excuse whatsoever is offered or given for the delay.

I think the motion must be granted, without question, as the bill of August 18th on both points. With reference to the objection to the form of that bill, it is clear to my mind that I should be wholly unjustified in settling and certifying it. Bills of exception of like make-up have been so severely and repeatedly criticised and pronounced reprehensible by our Supreme Court, that it would be inexcusable on my part to permit such a record to go, with my sanction, before that tribunal. It would, justly, subject me to censure. The language of our Supreme Court in criticising a bill of like character in the case of People vs. Getty, 49 Cal., 581, may be quoted by me with striking appositeness in disposing of this point, where the Court (on page 584 of their opinion) say:

"The bill of exceptions appears to consist of the reporter's notes, written out in long-hand, containing the questions and answers in full, and the side bar conversations and remarks of the Judge, counsel, jurors and witnesses. In no conceivable case can it be necessary and proper that a bill of exceptions should be made up in this manner. It was never intended that the reporter's notes should constitute a bill of exceptions. The evidence relating to the points presented should be stated, as far as possible, in narrative form, or as a statement of the substance, or whether it is tended to prove, and the questions should be stated only when it is necessary to present the point of an objection thereto.

"The practice of making up bills of exceptions in the reprehensible form adopted in this case has become so prevalent that some measures must be adopted for its correction. The Judge of the Court below would be justified in refusing to settle a proposed bill of exceptions when it is presented in that form, and we are of the opinion that it is his duty to strike it from the files."

And in the case of People vs. Sprague (53 Cal., 422) the same Court says: "The District Judge was fully justified in refusing to settle and certify the bills of exceptions (so called) filed on the 16th and 18th of September. The first was a mere skeleton, containing no statement of evidence or rulings; the second was in the form pronounced 'reprehensible' in People vs. Getty."

As to the point that no notice was served on the District Attorney of this bill of August 18th, I am of opinion that no service was had by the means adopted—that of shoving the notice under the locked door of the office. This method of procuring service finds no warrant in the law.

While I am inclined to think that in instances of this kind, since the Penal Code is silent as to the manner in which service shall be made, that personal service is contemplated, yet it might be deemed sufficient had defendant's attorney proceeded in the manner pointed out in Subdivision 1 of Section 1011, Code of Civil Procedure; and it appeared that the notice actually came into the hands of the party. But that method was not pursued here, and I am unable to find from the evidence that the District Attorney ever saw this notice. He says in his testimony: "I do not remember ever to have seen this notice, and did not know it had been served." Clearly this was no service.

Upon the subject of requiring notice to the District Attorney in like cases, the Supreme Court says, in People vs. Sprague, supra:

"Another circumstance made it the duty of the Judge to refuse to settle the bill on the day by the defendant. No notice was given to the District Attorney of defendant's intention to present either of the two drafts, as required by Section 1171 of the Penal Code. * * * A clause of the section provides that the delivery of the draft bill of exceptions to the Clerk shall be the equivalent of a presentation of it to the Judge personally; but defendant cannot relieve himself of the necessity of serving notice on the District Attorney by handing the draft to the Clerk. The evident purpose of the section is, that the District Attorney shall, in every case, have an opportunity to suggest amendments."

So in this case, it was the duty of defendant, of which he cannot be relieved, to see that the District Attorney received notice of the presentation of his proposed bill.

Now with reference to the bill as proposed and noticed on the 16th day of November. That bill must doubtless be held, to all intents and purposes, to be a new bill, for while in outward semblance it is the same document as previously presented, by reason of the use in its construction of the first few preliminary pages of the first bill and the pages containing the specifications of errors, and more upon it the receipt from the Clerk dated August 18th, nevertheless the body of the bill was entirely changed, new matter inserted, and the bill in its revamped form again presented for settlement upon formal notice to the District Attorney. It will have to be considered, therefore, from the standpoint of a newly proposed bill presented at a date subsequent to the expiration of the time allowed for that purpose—defendant's time as allowed by the Court within which he could regularly present his bill having unquestionably expired August 20th.

Defendant contends that the mere fact that his bill was presented after lapse of the time allowed, is not of itself sufficient to deprive him of the right to have it settled; that the statute is directory merely, and that it is a matter of discretion with the Judge whether he will settle it or no, and that he should settle the bill notwithstanding the delay.

The District Attorney now contends on the other hand that while the question is to a certain extent one of discretion, that it would be an unwarranted abuse of that discretion for the Judge to settle a bill, in a case like the present, where so long and unreasonable a period has been permitted by the defendant to elapse without taking any proper step, and without his offering at this time any excuse whatever for his delay and neglect.

I am referred by the District Attorney to People vs. Lee, 14 Cal., 510, where the Court, in discussing this same question, say:

"We held (in People vs. Woppner, 14 Cal., 437) that the statute directing the statement or bill of exceptions to be served within ten days, and signed by the Judge, in a criminal case, was directory merely, observing that it would be giving greater rigor to the rule to hold the prisoner absolutely concluded of his rights by the failure of a Judge to settle or sign a statement within a limited time. * * * A variety of circumstances—even when the utmost diligence has been exercised—may prevent the settlement and signature. The destruction, by fire or other accident, of the records—the sickness or death of counsel or Judge may intervene. To hold that the rights of the prisoner would be absolutely lost, under circumstances of this nature, would be to sink the evident spirit and intent of the statute into an observance of the mere letter. But though the statute is only directory upon the Judge, it is not on that account to be the less observed by him. It was intended to prevent delays, and to require the preparation and settlement whilst the evidence and rulings of the Court are fresh in the recollection of the Judge and counsel. For that purpose the defendant must prepare his bill, and tender it within the time designated, or such additional time as may be granted by the District Judge, or a Judge of the Supreme Court, or give good and sufficient excuse for his failure to do so. When such excuse is shown the Judge should settle and sign the bill—otherwise, not."

And also to the case of Sprague, supra, where the Court quotes this language approvingly, and says:

"If, for sufficient reasons, counsel has not been able to prepare a bill of exceptions within the statutory time, one should be prepared as soon as may be afterwards, and be presented or filed (after notice to the District Attorney), accompanied by affidavits accounting for and intended to excuse the delay."

From the foregoing it would seem that our Supreme Court has construed Section 1171 of the Penal Code, in so far as it fixes the time within which bills of exceptions shall be settled and certified, to be directory merely; that, in other words, no inflexible or iron rule as to mere matter of time was intended to be imposed by the Legislature to defeat rather than promote justice; but that, in view of the unnumberless and unforeseen, and at the same time excusable causes of delay that will arise in the course of judicial proceedings, it should be left to the Courts, in the exercise of that discretionary power which is indispensable to a just and humane administration of our penal laws, and to permit that to be done, under proper circumstances, which a strict adherence to the letter of the statute would deny, and denying, defeat the only end which the law seeks to attain.

The discretion, however, which is to be exercised by the Court or Judge in this as in all other instances is intended to be a sound judicial discretion, founded upon a just and legal ground of excuse as contradistinguished from a mere arbitrary assertion of personal will power on the part of the individual; and unless a proper case is presented calling for the exercise of the discretionary powers of the Court or Judge, their employment would be an abuse rather than a right use.

Now, applying this rule to the facts of this case, are the circumstances here shown such as to justify the Judge, in the exercise of a sound legal discretion, in settling and certifying this last proposed bill? I think not. The evidence shows that the defendant in this case was afforded, in addition to the time allowed by the statute, a very generous period within which to prepare and serve his bill of exceptions, the time being repeatedly extended by the Judge upon application of his counsel, that every opportunity might be afforded him to take advantage of any error that might have crept into his case, and by which he conceived himself prejudiced, by presenting it in proper form to the higher Court. At the eleventh hour he presents for the consideration of the Court a proposed bill, in a form which he must have been aware, in fact was bound to know, could not be entertained or allowed. After the lapse of another long period—over two months considerably—this proposed bill is for the first time called to the attention of the Judge, and finding that the bill could not be allowed in its then reprehensible form, the defendant for the first time attempted to formulate a proper bill and present the same for settlement. And notwithstanding the time allowed for that purpose had long since expired, this new bill is presented, and settlement requested, without a word or suggestion, by affidavits or otherwise, being offered in excuse for this most protracted delay. It seems to me that this is inexcusable. As suggested in Lee's case, supra, one of the reasons why, in all cases except for good cause shown by way of excuse, the limitation of the statute should be adhered to, is that the facts and circumstances of the case may be fresh in the minds of Judge and counsel. The force of that suggestion was strikingly illustrated in this case. It appeared at the hearing that the first order extending defendant's time to propose a bill was granted in open Court, and, through temporary absence from the Court room or other inadvertent cause, the Clerk had failed to get a memorandum of the order, and it was never entered. Consequently it did not appear of record. The circumstance of its making, owing to the multiplicity of such matters and the lapse of time, had passed from the minds of Judge and counsel alike, and had it not been for a collateral circumstance refreshing the memory of one of defendant's counsel, from which he was able to testify to the granting of the order, the fact could not have been found.

This but serves to demonstrate the necessity of requiring that these matters be brought promptly to the attention of the Judge; and such considerations doubtless dictated the rule laid down by the Supreme Court, that all due dispatch must be used compatible with the circumstances of the case, and that if delay intervenes it must be satisfactorily accounted for and excused before the Judge is authorized to act. Any other rule would be subversive of the evident intent and meaning of the statute. A defendant is to be given such reasonable time as the circumstances demand, but he will not be permitted to wear out and defeat justice by dragging his steps so slowly that the facts of his case are forgotten, and a fair record rendered doubtful, if not impossible. Nor is he to be allowed to so delay the perfection of his record, that when finally, after an indefinite period, his case is heard in the appellate Court, and for some reason, meritorious or otherwise, it is deemed necessary to remand it for a new trial, it comes back, to find that the evidence has been dissipated and scattered by death or removal of witnesses, new officials in office unacquainted with and uninterested in the facts of the case, the public interest in bringing the offender to justice dulled and discouraged by lapse of time, and that condition of things existing generally with reference to the case which render its final dismissal necessary, while the offended law goes unsatisfied.

All these considerations have force and application under the circumstances of this case; and defendant was bound to recognize that the Court could not, as against proper objection thereto, settle or allow this bill, in the absence of any legal excusatory showing on his part. While it should always be the desire and aim of Courts and Judges that defendants be afforded every proper and legal opportunity to present their cases fully and fairly, a Judge is not warranted in permitting that desire to carry him outside a proper and just administration of the law. And to settle this bill under the circumstances would be in my judgment to do violence to the very principles that defendant invokes. Consequently, I shall for the reasons stated, refuse to entertain either of the defendant's proposed bills of exception, unless directed so to do by the proper tribunal.

It is, therefore, ordered that both the bill proposed by defendant on August 18th, and the bill as proposed on the 12th day of November, be refused settlement or allowance, and that they and each of them be stricken from the files of this Court. W. C. VAN FLEET,

Judge of Superior Court.

December 7, 1885.


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With poor appetite, and perhaps slight cough in morning, or on first lying down at night, should be looked to in time. Persons afflicted with consumption are proverbially unconscious of their real state. Most cases commence with discolored liver, leading to bad digestion and imperfect assimilation of food—hence the emaciation or wasting of flesh. It is a form of scrofulous disease, and is curable by the use of that great remedy of all blood-cleansing, antibilious and invigorating compounds, known as Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery."

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## COMMERCIAL.

### SACRAMENTO MARKET.

SACRAMENTO, December 7th.

FRUIT—Lemons—Sicily, $7; Malaga, $5 75@6; Limes, $6@8; Bananas, $2 50@2 75 ₱ bunch; Pineapples, $4@5 ₱ dozen; Cocoanuts, 86@6 50; California Oranges, $2 50@3 ₱ 100; Mexican Oranges, $2 50@3 ₱ 100; Apples, fair, 60@80c; fancy, $1@1 25; Grapes, 75c@$1 25; Cranberries, $8 50@9 50 ₱ bbl.

PIE FRUITS—Assorted, 2½-lb cans, ₱ doz, $1 20@1 30; assorted, gallon cans, $4; Peaches, 2-½ lb cans, $1 50; Portland Blueberries, 2-lb cans, $2; Whortleberries, $1 75; Capital Asparagus, $2 25 ₱ dozen cans.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, sliced, 3½@4½c ₱ lb; do quartered, 3@3½c; Pears, peeled, 4@5c; Plums, pitted, 5@6c; Peaches, peeled, 6½@7½c; do peeled, 12@13c; Prunes, German and French, 5@6c; Blackberries, 10@11c; Figs, California, 4@5c ₱ lb.

TABLE FRUITS—Assorted, 2½-lb cans, ₱ doz, $1 85@2; Peaches, $1 90@2; Bartlett Pears, $2 20@2 25; Plums, $1 50@1 70; Blackberries, $2@2 10; Gooseberries, $2 25@2 50; Strawberries, $2 50@2 60; Apricots, $1 70@1 75; Muscat Grapes, $1 75@2; Red Currants, $2 35@2 40; Cherries, $2 35@2 40.

VEGETABLES—Early Rose Potatoes, 65@70c; Salt Lake, $1 10@1 15; New Onions, $1 65@1 75; Cabbage, 60@75c; Carrots, 50c ₱ 100; Turnips, 75c; bunch vegetables, 12½c ₱ doz; Parsnips, 1c; Beets, $1; Horse Radish, 8@9c ₱ lb; Garlic, 10c; Cucumbers, 5@6c; Artichokes, 40c ₱ dozen; Green Peppers, 4@5c ₱ lb; Sweet Potatoes, $1 10@1 15.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour, $4 50 ₱ bbl; Oatmeal, $3 50 ₱ 100 lbs; Cornmeal, white and yellow, $1 90 in 25 lb sacks, $2 10 in 10 lb sacks, ₱ 100; Cracked Wheat, $2 40; Hominy, $3 25 ₱ cwt.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys, 11@12c ₱ lb; Dressed Turkeys, 13@14c ₱ lb; Full-grown Chickens, $4 00@5 ₱ dozen; young Roosters, $3 50@4 ₱ dozen; Broilers, $2 50@3; tame Ducks, $4@5 50; Geese, $1 50@2 ₱ pair; Eggs, choice California, 37½@40c; Quail, $1 25@1 50 ₱ dozen; Mallard Ducks, $4@5; Canvasbacks, $5@5 50; Sprigs, $3; small Ducks, $1 50 ₱ dozen.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, fancy roll, 35@37½c ₱ lb; ranch butter, 28@30c; pickled, 25@27½c; packed in firkins, choice, 25@27c; common, 15@20c; Cheese, California, 10@12c; Western flats, 13@14c; Martin's Cream, 16c.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED—Oat hay, $14@18 ₱ ton; Alfalfa hay, $12@14 ₱ ton; Bran, $16 ₱ ton; Middlings, $23 ₱ ton; Barley, rolled, $1 40@1 45; rolled, $1 60; Wheat, $1 40 ₱ cwt; White Wild Oats, $2 35@2 40; Tame Oats, $1 50@1 60; Corn, $1 20 ₱ cwt for choice.

MISCELLANEOUS—Seeds—Alfalfa, 10½@11c; Timothy, Eastern, 6½@7½c ₱ lb; Oregon, 6@7c; Pop Corn, 3½@4c ₱ lb; Red Clover, 13@14c; Red Top, 7@9c. Nuts—Chile Walnuts, 7½@9c; California Walnuts, 8@9c; Almonds, 10@12c; Peanuts, California, 4½@5½c; Peanuts (California), raw, 8½@9c; Eastern, 11½@11½c. Hides, salt, light and medium, 8½c; heavy steers, 9c; dry, 18c. Tallow, 4½c. Hops—Sales of Pacific coast in New York, 10c; market value here, 5c.

MEATS—Beef, 6@7c; Mutton, 5c ₱ lb; Lamb, 7c; Veal, 7@9c; Hogs, 2½@3½c; Dressed Pork, 6c; Hams, Eastern, 14@15c; California, 12@13½c; Bacon, medium, 9½c; selected, 12c; extra light, 13½c.

### SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 7th.

FLOUR—About 1,000 bbls arrived from Oregon to-day. We quote: Best city extra, $4 25@4 75; medium, $3 50@4; shipping superfine, $2 75@3 50 ₱ bbl.

WHEAT—Business this morning was not quite so lively as on Saturday, while values were somewhat softer. No buyers were willing to pay over $1 40 ₱ ctl for No. 1 shipping, while some exporters placed their limits at $1 37½ ₱ ctl.

Call Board sales at the morning session of the San Francisco Produce Exchange were as follows:

Spot, season's storage paid—600 tons, $1 42; 100, $1 41½; 500, $1 41½.

Buyer 1885—200 tons, $1 42¾; 100, $1 42½; 1 0, $1 42.

Buyer season—100 tons, $1 50¼; 100, $1 50⅜; 500, $1 50½; 1,0 0, $1 50⅝; 700, $1 50¾; 200, $1 50⅞; 200, $1 51.

Buyer 1886—100 tons, $1 54½; 200, $1 55; 100, $1 55½; 300, $1 55¼ ₱ ctl.

Afternoon sales were:

Buyer season—100 tons, $1 50½; 1,100, $1 50⅝; 100, $1 50¾; 100, $1 50⅞.

Buyer 1885—400 tons, $1 42; 100, $1 42½; 300, $1 42½.

Buyer 1885, season's storage paid—200 tons, $1 42½; 100, $1 42⅝; 100, $1 42¾.

Spot, season's storage paid—140 tons, $1 41¾.

Buyer 1886—200 tons, $1 54⅝ ₱ ctl.

BARLEY—The tone of the market continues of buoyant character. Almost any kind of feed had passed from the hands of Judge and counsel alike, and had it not been for a collateral circumstance refreshing the memory of one of defendant's counsel, from which he was able to testify to the granting of the order, the fact could not have been found.

Call Board sales at the morning session of the San Francisco Produce Exchange were as follows:

Seller season—100 tons, $1 20⅞.

Seller 1885—300 tons, 95c ₱ ctl.

No sales on afternoon call.

OATS—Further supplies from Oregon to-day, aggregating 4,100 centals. We quote: Surprise and milling, $1 35@1 40; No. 1, $1 27½@1 30; common grades, $1 20@1 25; Black, $1 50@1 75 ₱ ctl.

CORN—Quotable at $1 25 ₱ ctl for all kinds. Demand light.

VEGETABLES—Unchanged. Mushrooms, 6@8c ₱ lb; Artichokes, 15c ₱ dozen; Carrots, 40@50c ₱ ctl; Turnips, 60@75c ₱ ctl; Beets, 60@75c ₱ ctl; Parsnips, $1 ₱ ctl; Cauliflower, 60@75c ₱ dozen; Cabbage, 75c ₱ ctl; Garlic, 3c ₱ lb; Celery, 50c ₱ dozen; Green Peppers, 35@50c ₱ box; Dry Peppers, 10@12½c ₱ lb; dry Okra, 18@20c ₱ lb.

FRUIT—Oranges are finding pretty good custom, but still there are large stocks on hand of the Mexican article. California product is not heavily represented. Lady Apples, 50c ₱ box; Oranges, Los Angeles, $3@4 ₱ box; do, Loreto and La Paz, $2 75@3 ₱ M; do, Cape St. Lucas, $15@20 ₱ M; Japanese Persimmons, 6@8c ₱ lb; Apples, 25@60c for common and 75c@$1 50 ₱ box for good to choice; Pears, 60c@$1 for common, and $1 50@2 50 ₱ box for good to choice; Mexican Limes, $1@7; do California, 60@75c for small and $2@2 50 for large boxes; Lemons, Sicily, $6@7; do, Malaga, $5 50@6 ₱ box; Bananas, $1 50@3 ₱ bunch; Pineapples, $3 50@5 ₱ dozen; Cranberries, $8@9 for Wisconsin, and $10@12 ₱ bbl for Cape Cod.

BUTTER—Fancy, 37½c; choice, 32½@35c; good, 25@27½c; fair, 18@22c; pickled roll, 12½@16c ₱ lb; pickled roll, 24@27c ₱ lb for good to choice, and 23½@30c ₱ lb for fancy; firkin, 21@23c for choice; 18@20c for fair to good; 10@12½c for poor: Eastern, 10@14c ₱ lb.

CHEESE—California, new, 11@12½c; choice old, 7@9c; fair to good, 5@6½c ₱ lb.

EGGS—The market is not overstocked, and some dealers are asking an advance on our quotations for job lots. Quotable at 37½@40c ₱ doz. for good to choice California. Holders of Eastern are ask 30@32½c ₱ dozen.

POULTRY—No business to-day. Prices are nominal. We quote jot lots as follows: Live Turkeys—Gobblers, 13@14c; Hens, 12@13c ₱ lb; dressed, 13@16c; Roosters, $4 for old and $4@5 for young; Hens, $3 50@5; Broilers, $1@4 50 as to size; Ducks, $4 50@5 50 ₱ dozen; Geese, $1 75@2 ₱ pair.

FRESH MEAT—Following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers: Beef—First quality, 7@7½c; second quality, 6½@6¾c; third quality, 5½@6c ₱ lb. Mutton—Quotable, 5@6c ₱ lb, according to quality. Lamb—Quotable at 7@8c ₱ lb. Veal—Quotable at 7@11c ₱ lb. Pork—Live Hogs, on foot, 3½@3¾c: dressed do, 5½@6½c ₱ lb.

### EASTERN AND FOREIGN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, December 7th.

WHEAT—12 M.—96¼c for cash, 95c for December, 96¾c for January, 98c for February and 81 03¼ ₱ for May.

SUGAR—Cuba Centrifugal, 5 9-16c.

WOOL—Steady at 12@17c for clean fall, and 8@10c for fall burry; clean spring, 19@24c; spring burry, 15@17c; pulled, 20@37c.

CHICAGO, December 7th.

WHEAT—12 M.—87¾c for cash, 87½c for December, 88¼c for January, 88¾@88½c for February and 94¼c for May.

CORN—38½c for January.

PORK—$9 95 for January.

LARD—$6 10@6 12½ for January.

RIBS—$4 85 for January.

SHORT RIBS—$5 10.

LIVERPOOL, December 7th.

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### SAN FRANCISCO STOCK SALES.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 7, 1885.

MORNING SESSION.

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| Ophir | 95 | Union | 55c |
| Mexican | 70c | Andes | 25c |
| G. & C. | 80c | Alta | 20c |
| Best & B. | 1 30 | Navajo | 55c |
| Con. C. Va. | 1 25 | Bodie | 1 90@1 85 |
| Savage | 1 90 | Bulwer | 65c |
| Choliar | 1 05 | Mono | 4 65@4 40 |
| Potosi | 30c | Syndicate | 25c |
| H. & N. | 4 25@4 75 | Con. Pacific | 75c |
| Point | 1 50 | Peer | 30c |
| Jacket | 1 40 | Kentuck | 1 |
| S. Nev. | 75c | | |

AFTERNOON SESSION.

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| H. & N. | 4 60@4 75 | G. & C. | 75@80c |
| Mt. Diablo | 2 65@2 55 | Best | 1 35 |
| Holmes | 8 | Bodie | 1 75@1 80 |
| Bullion | 60c | Choliar | 1 10 |
| Goodshaw | 10c | Potosi | 30@35c |
| Mono | 4 45@4 25 | Belcher | 1 30 |
| Crocker | 70c | S. Nev. | 80c |
| Peerless | 75@80c | C. C. Va. | 1 45 |
| Ophir | 1 10 | Union | 60c |
| Savage | 1 90@1 95 | Alta | 25c |
| Mexican | 75c | | |


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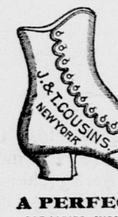


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